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DESPITE SC ORDER, GOVT PLANS TO KEEP GIR LIONS IN GUJARAT

The Centre plans to relocate some of the Asiatic lions from the Gir sanctuary to other suitable areas within Gujarat. The Supreme Court had in 2013 ordered that some of the big cats be translocated to suitable places outside the state to avoid extinction due to spread of an epidemic. The Gujarat government is reportedly not in favour of shifting the royal beasts to other states, hence the Centre's attempt at a workaround to spread them within the state itself | P9

RS RECORD AS 19 MPs SUSPENDED FOR A WEEK

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

WITH a record 19 Rajya Sabha members being suspended for a week on Tuesday for disrupting proceedings as they demanded discussions on a clutch of issues, including price rise, the stand-off between the Centre and the Opposition is set to intensify further.

Ever since the monsoon session began, the Opposition has been on its feet demanding discussions on price rise and levy of GST on essential items. The government, too, is ready for discussions as soon as Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman recovers from Covid.

Opposition leaders are scheduled to meet on Wednesday to discuss their future strategy in the wake of the suspension. They may join the suspended MPs who have been sitting in protest near the Gandhi statue within the Parliament complex.

On Monday, four Congress members of the Lok Sabha were suspended for the rest of the session for displaying placards in the House.

After the first half of the Rajya Sabha proceedings were washed out, when Opposition members entered the Well of the House shouting slogans during the second half. Deputy chairman Harivansh Narayan Singh warned them of action. But the Opposition continued their protest seeking suspension of business to take up price rise.

As his pleas went unheeded, Harivansh asked the treasury benches to move a resolution for suspension. Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs V Muraleedharan moved a motion to suspend 10 MPs — seven from the Trinamool, two DMK and one CPI(M). Nine more names were added before the motion was put to vote.

The 19 MPs include M Mohamed Abdulla, S Kalyanasundaram, R Girirajan, N R Elango, M Shanmugam and Kanimozhi N V N Somu (all DMK); B Lingaiah Yadav, Ravichandra Vaddiraju and Damodar Rao Divakonda (all TRS); A A Rahim and V Sivadasan (all CPM) and Sandosh Kumar P of CPI. After the suspension, the MPs refused to leave, squatting on the floor of the House leading to adjournment for the day. AAP member Sanjay Singh was seen tearing up a paper and flinging it towards the chair.

Previous high was 12

This is the highest number of suspensions in one go in the Rajya Sabha; the previous record was 12 MPs during the winter session in November last year

Delhi Police detain Congress leader Rahul Gandhi during a protest march in New Delhi on Tuesday | PRAVEEN NEGI

ED questions Sonia for six hours

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

THE Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Tuesday questioned Congress president Sonia Gandhi for over six hours in the National Herald money laundering case amid party's protests over alleged misuse of investigative agencies for political gains.

On July 21, she had responded to 28 questions by the ED team and spent over two hours at its office. Sonia has been summoned to appear again on Wednesday. Like last time, Sonia was accompanied by daughter Priyanka Gandhi Vadra and son Rahul Gandhi. While Priyanka stayed back at the agency in another room, Rahul left soon thereafter. In the first half of the day, Sonia was questioned for about 2.5 hours while post-lunch session went on for over 3.5 hours.

Rahul later led a protest march of Congress MPs from Parliament to Rashtrapati Bhavan. He and over 50 other Congress MPs were detained by the Delhi Police at Vijay Chowk.

"India is a police state now, that's the truth. PM Modi is a king, and this is a police state. What will happen if MPs cannot meet the President?" Rahul told the media.

Leaders of several opposition parties wrote to President Droupadi Murmu alleging the misuse of Central agencies to target them and sought her intervention.

Twitter moves K'taka HC over 'blocking orders'

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court on Tuesday issued notice to the Union of India on a petition filed by Twitter Inc. The company operating the microblogging and social networking service Twitter, in its petition before the High Court challenged the multiple "blocking orders' issued by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology from February 2, 2021 to February 28, 2022.

The orders under sections of the Information Technology Act were issued to block 1,474 accounts/URLs and 175 tweets from being accessed by the public, besides certain information which included suspension of whole accounts on Twitter.

Hearing the petition filed by Twitter, Justice Krishna S Dixit ordered notice to the Centre and adjourned the hearing to August 25, 2022. This was at the request of senior counsels Mukul Rohatgi and Ashok Harnalli, representing Twitter Inc.

In its petition filed before the HC, Twitter stated that contents of Twitter accounts and tweets in question that were ordered to be blocked by the Union government fell under the freedom of speech guaranteed under Article 19(1)(a) of the Indian Constitution and did not violate Section 69A of Information Technology Act.

It also highlighted several originators of tweets were identifiable public figures and some of the URLs contained political and journalistic content. P4

EXPRESS READ

DAC nod to ₹28Kcr arms procurement proposals

New Delhi: The Defence Acquisition Council (DAC), chaired by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, on Tuesday extended the Acceptance of Necessity (AoN) for capital acquisition proposals of the Armed Forces amounting to ₹28,732 crores to procure swarm drones, bulletproof jackets and carbines.. | P9

25 sandalwood trees reduced to stumps

Bengaluru: The state forest department officials are on the hunt for a gang that reduced 25 sandalwood trees, which were 4-5 years old, to mere stumps during a late night theft at the Gottiupura state forest in Hoskote. Special teams have been formed to protect the forest patch and find the culprits. | P7

KARNATAKA	JULY 25	JULY 26
Fresh cases	1,688	1,330
Recoveries	1,043	1,891
Deaths	4	16

MAHARASHTRA	JULY 25	JULY 26
Fresh cases	535	1,425
Recoveries	1,264	1,491
Deaths	1	1

JAB-O-METER
July 25 16,82,390 doses
July 26 25,11,370 doses
TAKE YOUR SHOT
TOTAL: 2,02,77,29,103

Time to stand up against BJP: Alva

In an exclusive interview with TNIE, Opposition V-P candidate Margaret Alva says, "When every political party is threatened, how can there be a free and fair election? It is time to stand up and put up a fight against the BJP." | P9

EXPRESS INTAKE

Govt plans mass marriage scheme for SC/STs | P4

State to have its first-ever firefly park in two years | P7

IMF cuts India growth to 7.4% for current year | P13

Bajrang Dal men halt party at Mangaluru pub

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Mangaluru

IN yet another incident of 'moral policing', Bajrang Dal activists disrupted a farewell party of some college students at a pub in Mangaluru city on Monday night. The incident which occurred at 'Re-Cycle The Lounge' located in Balmatta sparked outrage with Opposition parties demanding strict action against the culprits and accusing the government of tacitly supporting fringe groups to carry out such acts.

It is the same pub, which was functioning under a different name - Amnesia, that was attacked by Sri Rama Sene activists in January 2009.

Sources said that a group of Bajrang Dal activists reached the pub around 8 pm after they learnt about the farewell party. They took the pub bouncers and manager to task, accusing them of serving liquor to some underage boys and girls who were at the party. Within a few minutes, the pub asked the partying students to leave.

Videos that went viral on Tuesday showed some boys and girls walking out of the pub even as a cop and Hindutva activists stood outside. The activists were heard hurling abuses at the students and the cop remained a mute spectator to the unruly scene. P4

Police and Bajrang Dal activists in front of the pub in Mangaluru | EXPRESS

Sri Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister

Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Department
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department

SWACHH GRAMODAYA
'Safe drinking water, open defecation free villages is our priority'

Sri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister

Swachh Bharat Mission(G)

- More than 50.14 Lakh Individual Household Latrines (IHHL) constructed
- More than 1842 Community Sanitary Complexes (CSC) constructed
- 4579 Swachha Sankeerna (SWM) units established with unique Branding.
- Waste management activities are initiated in Swachha Sankeerna (SWM) units of 4579 Grama Panchayats
- Action taken for implementation of more than 14 GOBAR-dhan units
- Approved 21612 Liquid Waste Management (LWM) DPRs

Jal Jeevan Mission (Mane Manege Gange)

- Reached more than 53.00 Lakh Households in Karnataka through providing Functional Household Tap Connections (FHTC) under JJM
- 100% FHTCs have been provided in one Taluka, 462 Gram Panchayats and 3757 Villages
- Safe drinking water facilities provided to 95000 Schools and Anganawadi centres
- 80 Labs are established for testing of drinking water quality
- NABL accreditation obtained for 17 District level and 11 Taluka level water testing laboratories
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Wednesday: 27/07/2022 • Year: Shubhakruta • Ayana: Dakshinayana • Ritu: Grees hma • Masa: Ashada • Paksha: Krishna • Tithi: Chaturdasi 7.50 pm • Nakshatra: Punarvasu (Whole day) • Moon in Karka Rashi • Rahukaala: 12.00 pm to 01.30 pm • Gulika kala: 10.30 am to 12.00 pm • Yamaganda: 07.30 am to 09.00 am

WEATHER
MIN 20°C | MAX 27°C
FORECAST
Isolated t storms. Cloudy

Sunrise 6.04 am
Sunset 6.48 pm
Moonrise 4.49 am
Moonset 5.59 pm

WAKF MUST SUBMIT IDGAH RECORDS TODAY

MOHAMMED YACOOB @ Bengaluru

THE Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike has set a deadline for the Wakf Board to provide additional documents and proof of ownership regarding Chamarajpet Idgah Maidan till July 27, and if the board fails to provide those, the municipality will likely decide the issue.

BBMP Joint Commissioner, West, SM Srinivasa, told TNIE

that some people from the board had approached his office, and said that they will provide some records. "We have issued a notice and informed them about the time. If there is no reply, the Palike will then initiate the next step," he said.

As per Palike sources, in case the Wakf Board fails to apply for khata since 1965 gazette notification, the BBMP would initiate legal steps and then make the khatha recognising the 2.5-acre land as municipality's property.

Chamarajpet Naagarikara Vedike Okkuta member Shashank who along with Hindu outfits like Vishwa Sanatha Hindu Parishad and others has been fighting for the land rights for other communities to hold events like Ganesha Chaturti, Independence Day, Rajyostava, hoped that the Palike will take the right decision regarding the issue.

Local residents around the Maidan and Hindu outfits claim that the land belongs to Palike, and the Muslim community was compensated with a piece of ground decades ago on Mysuru Road for last rites, and hence, demanded the Palike and police give permission to host other religious and public events at Chamarajpet Idgah Maidan.

Earlier, BBMP Commissioner Tushar Girinath had courted controversy when he said the Wakf Board can apply for khata. The BJP leaders hit back and alleged MLA BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan was arm-twisting Girinath to issue statements in favour of the board; Girinath later said his statement was misconstrued.

Wakf Board confident of retaining land

Karnataka Wakf Board chairman Shafi Saadi exuded confidence that the land will stay with the board. "The onus is on Palike. The Palike was ordered to stay away from the land by Munsif court, High Court and Supreme Court. We will also fight it out legally," said Saadi.

GREEN MANTRA

After BBMP bans use of single-use plastic, a member of an NGO gives a cloth bag to a woman at KR market | SHRIRAMOK

Collect a token to use lift at underground Metro stations

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

AT Metro stations, able-bodied commuters cram the lifts despite boards specifying that it is meant for senior citizens, specially-abled and pregnant women. Five underground Metro stations of Phase-I do not have baggage or body scanners at entry points leading to the lifts. The Karnataka State Industrial Security Force (KSISF), manning these stations, has initiated a system under which tokens are provided to those who do not fall under these categories.

The token system is at present operational at Cubbon Park, Vidhana Soudha, Sir M Visvesvaraya, KSR railway station and Kempegowda Metro stations.

A security source said, "We

Token needs to be handed over to the security staffers manning the lift

call these frisking tokens. They have been in place for quite some time and not many are aware of it."

Physically fit commuters, who have suffered injuries or those with knee issues, say they are unable to walk and are permitted to use the lifts. "To ensure it is not a security threat to other people, we ask them to put their bags through the scanner as well as subject them to physical screening. A token is handed over after that."

The token needs to be handed over to the private security staffer monitoring the lift to gain entry. "This does not apply to senior citizens, specially-abled or pregnant women," he added.

A frequent commuter from Cubbon Park station was surprised that such a system exists. Divya Rani, who asked directions to use the lift due to leg pain, was told by a cop. "You get to use the lift and safety is ensured for other commuters. I had no clue such a system was in place."

BBMP chief sets deadline to clear footpath encroachments

BENGALURU: BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath on Tuesday instructed officials to clear encroachments from the footpath by street vendors in Coffee Board Layout by Tuesday night, failing which, officers will face action. Girinath was in Yelahanka Zone where residents complained against BBMP staff for delaying issuing of khata for their properties. Girinath assured that the deadline will be fixed for the issue. Residents of Coffee Board Layout complained that several street vendors have encroached footpaths on main roads. Jakkur Layout residents also complained about bad roads and potholes in the area, and Girinath has instructed the officers to fill the potholes within a week. Meanwhile, drivers of garbage trucks complained about delay in payment of salaries. Girinath instructed officers that to clear their payments immediately.

Police warn school buses against parking on roads

NAMRATA SINDWANI @Bengaluru

DEPUTY Commissioner of Police, Traffic Control department, Kalakrishna Swami said schools are not allowed to park buses outside and near campuses except when students are boarding or disembarking.

The traffic control department has said notices will be sent to schools whose buses are found encroaching roads during odd hours. Schools which do not have sufficient area to drop off students outside, should park inside school campuses, she said adding that first time notices were served to many schools for blocking traffic.

KC Gopalkrishna, chairman, National Public School, Indiranagar, had requested authorities to allow parking of buses outside the school explaining that residents do not object to it. Many complaints have been registered over traffic congestion by school buses during peak hours, and encroachment of roads.

Nagaveni T Reddy, principal, Orchids International School, Mysuru Road, said there should be a provision to park the buses in front of schools without affecting the public. Schools with lack of parking space inside campuses should also be allowed on the condition that they do not hit traffic. Shivkumar Venkatesh, a social worker from the city, said on narrow roads, school buses are parked in rows, which should not be allowed.

EXPRESS READ

Minimum age limit for admission to Class 1 raised

Bengaluru: Principal Secretary, primary education, department of School Education and Literacy has passed an order increasing the minimum age limit for admission to Class 1 from 5 years 10 months to 6 years 10 months. This order was passed based on RTE Act, 2009 and Compulsary Education Rules, 2012. This order will come into effect from next year, education department sources said.

K'taka Postal Circle launches rakhi sale, delivery

Bengaluru: To help public send rakhis with ease for the upcoming Raksha Bandhan on August 11, the Karnataka Postal Circle has launched an online sale along with delivery facility to any address within India. An official release read that a rakhi and a greeting card will be sent in a specially designed envelope through Speed Post. The total cost comes to Rs 120. It can be purchased using the link: https://karnatakapost.gov.in/RakhiPost or by scanning a QR code.

Spl screening of 'Rocketry: Nambi Effect' for kids

BENGALURU: With an aim to make students understand all about space education and life skills, Lit Skills Learning, held a special movie screening of the movie - Rocketry: Nambi Effect - in Kannada on Monday night. The movie was screened for students of Class 6 to 12 at Meenakshi Mall. Over a thousand students from across the city watched the movie. The screening was led by Dr Karthik Narayanan and Roopa Iyer, co-founders of Lit Skills Learning. The organisation is also working for teaching English to students in government schools. It has also signed a MoU with the State Government to take up pilot English learning for government school students in Chamarajanagar circle.

BEL bags 3 awards for implementing official language

BENGALURU: Bharat Electronics Ltd (BEL) bagged three awards for "Excellence in OL Implementation" instituted by the Town Official Language Implementation Committee (Undertakings), Bengaluru, for the financial year 2021-22. BEL's Bengaluru Complex bagged the first prize for "Excellence in OL Implementation", while the Hindi house journal of BEL - Corporate Office, Navaprabha, has been adjudged the Best -Magazine among all house journals of the Bengaluru based PSUs. BEL's Central Research Laboratory won a Consolation Prize for OL implementation for the financial year 2021-22.

Bescom replaces 16,000 electric meters

Bengaluru: Bescom had started replacing electromechanical meters with Devise Language Message Specification static meters in the Bengaluru Metropolitan Area Zone (BMAZ) in July. So far, 16,000 single and three-phase meters have been replaced with digital ones in Indiranagar, Whitefield, Rajajinagar and Rajarajeshwari Nagar. Bescom GM (meter and commercial), P Rangaswamy said the installation will be extended to Bengaluru Rural and Chitradurga area zone.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

27th July: Every day brings a different quality. Today's dominant images are undoubtedly Taurean, encouraging a sense that what is most important now is cautious efficiency and a high regard for conservative virtues. This might not sound like fun but it's about the best basis we could have for adventures and excitement just at the moment!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Venus makes subtle angles to a series of planets, encouraging you to seek inspiration and sympathy from friends and colleagues. Those of you at work will discover that it's who you know that counts, not what you do. However, given that intense passions could erupt at any moment, you should never slip into complacency.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
You can take advantage of growing planetary alignments with sensitive sectors of your chart to increase your privacy and spend a little more time by yourself. Over the next few weeks, peace and quiet will be a commodity in increasing demand, and there's no reason why you should reveal all to people with whom you're unconvinced.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
That sensitive sign, Pisces, has been having it's say in your life and your instincts have been telling you to bide your time over career and professional issues. However, you may now put delicate considerations to one side and press ahead with your usual vigour.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
The Moon is casting its rays far and wide, especially over those sections of your chart with expressibility for close and intimate partnerships. Friendships with people who are older, more mature and experienced should be favoured, as precisely if there's any chance that you might end up living together.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
It looks like ahead-working day. There's a general air of excitement, but today is a good time to get your shoulder to the wheel and press ahead with routine but highly necessary chores. My only concern is that you might push yourself too hard.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Almost any Virgo will tell you that the working week is not designed for fun, but for honest toil. However, the planets are in a slightly chaotic mood, and with the Moon quite sensitive, today you must give absolute priority to pleasure, romance and cultural excursions.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Jupiter, the ruler of opportunity and enthusiasm, is the planet of the moment. If professional ambitions are at the top of the agenda the outcome can only be good. The one problem is your tendency to inadvertently offend those whose support you. Put yourself at the end's disposal and they won't forget it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Although financial indications are relatively benign, you need to do your sums and ensure that you are not making a credit beast yourself with. Don't take on commitments you won't be able to keep, especially if you are under duress from partners to make a quick agreement.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Something that brought you upshot recently should not be allowed to make you feel undermined or demoralised. You are to big a person and the future is too bright, too all you to cosy resort-ment around for much longer. If you feel that some body else has been unfair, then you can't really do anything about it until you have found exactly the right approach.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
The Sun and Mercury are sparkling away in your solar chart, bringing fresh light to areas of your life that have long been buried deep beneath a mountain of emotional wreckage. Now's the time to break free, perhaps while someone who has been blocking your path is looking the other way!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb 19)
Be prepared to take even enforced changes at home in your stride. The Moon is currently making it difficult to get one or two personal issues straight, but within a few days all will be made crystal clear and you might even find out what the alternatives are.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
You do tend to feel sorry for yourself, and recent planetary activity has inclined you to be feeling neglected and hard done by. Right now, you may be considering spending your way to happiness and why not? After all, you have earned the right to a little luxury, just as long as you're careful.

THE PHANTOM

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BEETLE BAILEY

BLONDIE

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE

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Hard: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

3	7	8	2	5	6	4	1	9
1	9	2	3	4	7	6	5	8
5	6	4	1	8	9	3	2	7
2	4	5	9	6	1	8	7	3
9	3	6	4	7	8	2	5	1
7	1	8	5	9	2	3	6	4
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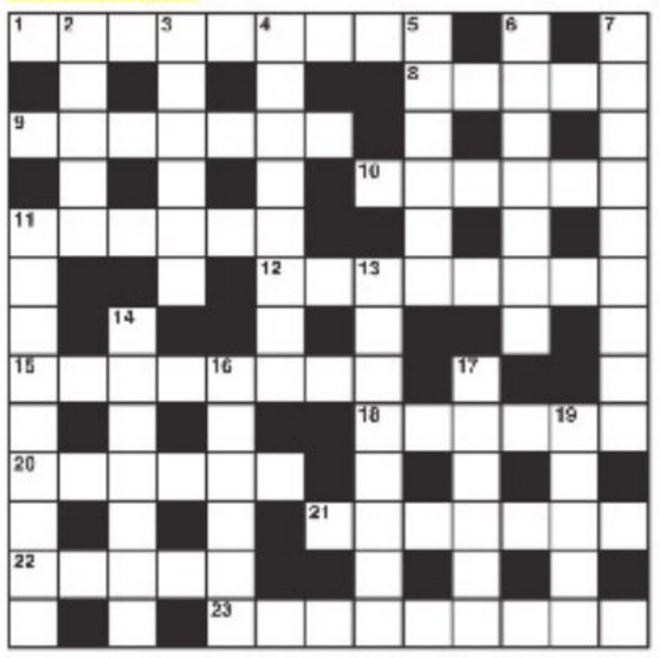
CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 Many absorbed in conscious thought (9)
8 Water-carrier not a prophet (5)
9 Fitting aid for a person crazy about flying? (4,3)
10 Yet such talkers may not be on the level (6)
11 Take exception to being ordered to leave again (6)
12 Could be nine ses in turmoil (2,1,5)
15 Stay well away from work (8)
18 Talks or possibly yeasts (6)
20 Fresh topics for light-minded scientists (6)
21 Not a galley but may be found in one (7)
22 Call a woman a cos for approval (5)
23 Female forgerie was surrounded in South Africa (9)

DOWN
2 Omit a vowel? I'd easily included it (5)
3 Trailed along with a label on (6)
4 Getting on one's high horse about a painting (8)
5 Outflow of British capital (6)
6 And to us possibly it will seem surprising (7)
7 They deny credit - for dough or bread perhaps (4,5)
11 A sign of free accommodation (4,2,3)
13 Skilfully modified idolatry (8)
14 Excess weight? It's his danger (7)
16 Metal of little value in America (6)
17 Inflammable substance from an upturned tree (6)
19 Not having a list to put up (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS
Across: 1 Repants, 4 Miser, 7 Nuts, 8 Thank you, 10 Experiment, 12 Clothe, 13 Twinge, 15 Wild fruit, 18 Coachman, 19 Nail, 20 Lit up, 21 Tickets.
Down: 1 Range, 2 Put-up job, 3 Scheme, 4 Man and wife, 5 Skye, 6 Routine, 9 Archbishop, 11 Insulate, 12 Chancel, 14 Fluent, 16 Tolls, 17 Cost.

JUMBLE By David L Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

NANYO

NLUKP

PLTOEP

MCONOM

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

Answer here:

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:** ZESTY DRILL BAMBOO POETIC
ANSWER: At 7'4" tall and 600 pounds, clothes shopping for Andre the Giant was a – SIZABLE PROBLEM

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A YEAR OF CHEER

WEDNESDAY 27.07.2022 A SPACE MARKETING INITIATIVE BENGALURU

LEADERSHIP WITH A COMPELLING VISION

With his maiden budget of hope, a promising visit to Davos, a planned R&D policy as well as a new agri policy, Bommai's overall vision is seemingly translating into sustainable action.

On 4th March 2022, Bommai presented his maiden budget, terming it as being growth-oriented and sensitive, benefiting all sections of society, while also aiming to protect the environment. "I call it a sensitive budget, as it aims to protect the environment; quantify the loss of green cover and address the eco deficit by the eco-budget. This is being done for the first time by our government," the CM had said.

Explaining the measures announced in his budget, the CM said the monthly honorarium given to acid attack victims has been increased from Rs 3,000 to Rs 10,000, 10 chemotherapy centres will be opened to serve cancer patients, dialysis cycles provided by the government increased from 30,000 to 60,000, and the government will also provide free eye treatment for senior citizens. The CM also said the honorarium paid to ASHA workers, Anganwadi workers and helpers, mid-day meals cooks and helpers, gram sahayakas has been increased by Rs 1,000.

"The budget focuses on employment, education and empowerment (3 E's), and by doing so, we tried to provide the impetus for future growth," he said, and added that they have given priority to agriculture, manufacturing and service sectors.

After two years of Covid-related disruption, the signs of recovery in the economy are clearly visible. The tax revenue collection that began in a sluggish manner, with the onset of the second wave of the pandemic at the start of the financial year 2021, has picked up, the CM said, adding, "We will reach the target in GST collection, Excise and non-tax revenue."

Meanwhile, he also expressed confidence that the government will start the Mekedatu balancing reservoir project this year, by taking required clearances from the Centre. The CM said Cauvery Water Management Board meeting will approve DPR for the project, and once that is done, the terms of reference for environment

clearances will be obtained. "The government wants to start the work this year and that is the reason for initial allocation of Rs 1,000 crore for the project," he said.

Davos Success

After his visit to the World Economic Forum in Davos, Bommai had stated that over 25 companies have committed to invest at least Rs 65,000 crore in the state, generating employment opportunities to lakhs of people. He said neither communal issues nor infrastructure woes had any impact on investors as they have immense confidence in Karnataka. "Karnataka has not lost nor will it lose," he asserted. The interest shown by many companies is the result of the state government's progressive policies and incentives for industrialisation.

A conducive ecosystem for investment, forward-looking policies, technology, availability of skilled human resources, research and development base, incentives for entrepreneurs and availability of land have enabled Karnataka to gain the confidence and trust of investors, Bommai said. The government will provide better infrastructure and ensure ease of doing business for investors. Many of these companies have also shown interest in investing in other parts of the state, not just Bengaluru, he added.

R&D Policy

The Karnataka government is all set to launch a Research & Development policy which is expected to get the nod in the upcoming cabinet meeting, said Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai recently. "The state government is committed to extending help to every organisation which is into R&D," he stressed.

He called upon entrepreneurs in the electronics R&D sector to make use of facilities given by the state government. He said Karnataka is in the forefront in R&D with over 400 such centres in Bengaluru. "We are the first state to have an exclusive aerospace and defence R&D policy. We have a separate semiconductor and renewable energy policy too. The new R&D policy will be approved in the next cabinet meeting," he said.

Mulling for New Agri Policy

Stressing the need for a new agriculture policy in the state, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai recently said the government is contemplating bringing the new agriculture policy under which agriculture will be developed as an industry.

Addressing the people of his constituency, the chief minister spoke at Khursapur village of Shiggaon taluk in Haveri district, after laying the foundation stone for the new textile park and Texport company's readymade garment factory.

The proposed textile park will come up in an area spread over 59.34 acres. Texport Private Limited would be set up on the Anchor-Promoter model by investing Rs 42 crore, which is the first of its kind in the state. Infrastructure facilities would be created in three phases for the textiles units and ready-made garment factories. The state government has provided Rs 25 crore for the first phase.

"In the Shiggaon Textile park, around 10,000 jobs will be created, where most of the locals will be employed. In the first phase, around 3,000 jobs will be created and in the second phase, the remaining jobs will be created by September 2023. Like this, around 5 lakh women of the state will be getting jobs in their nearby textile factories in the coming days," CM said.

Bommai also laid the foundation stones for the construction of new cold storage and a new building of APMC and inaugurated a veterinary hospital and other developmental programmes in his constituency.

BACKWARD CLASS WELFARE DEPARTMENT

ELEVATING THE DISADVANTAGED

The sole objective of the government is to create an atmosphere where the last man among the poor will be able to lead a life of dignity with quality education, employment and economically empowered. In order to achieve this goal and to elevate the Backward calss sections of the society, the state government has evolved multiple and multi-dimensional programmes as well as schemes.

Continuing the focus on social welfare, Bommai government has allocated a sum of Rs.2318.25 crores to the Backward Class Welfare Department of which Rs 2257.33 crore was spent by March end.

Hostels

- Rs 120 crores has been spent for the construction of 91 BC hostels during the year 2021-22.
- Administrative approval has been given for construction of 50 Kanakadasa Post Matric Hostels of 100 strength each or the year 2022-23.
- Grant of Rs 20 crores has been sanctioned for construction of five post-matric girls hostel under Centrally sponsored scheme at Sapthapura in Dharwad district.

Scholarship Scheme

- Under the fee refund scheme, a sum of Rs 398.50 Crores has been reimbursed to about 6.95 lakh students through the DBT system.
- In all, about 8.62 lakh students have been given Rs 81.93 Crores as refund through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) system.
- "Self Defence Art" is taught to girls students in post-matric hostels during the year 2021-22

Community halls and Students hostel

- Rs 260 Crores grant has been earmarked to 1364 associations/organisations during the year 2021-22 for welfare of various communities out of which Rs 215.08 crores has been released.

Training

- As many 52 students are being provided training to prepare for JEE examination while 118 students are being provided training to prepare for NEET examination for the year 2021-22.
- A sum of Rs 3.15 Crores hs been spent for Monthly Fellowship to 507 PhD students during the year 2021-22.
- In order encourage the students belonging to SC/ST/BC and Minority communities, a special programme named "Pandit Deenadayal Upadhyaya Brotherhood" hostels have been started as a pilot project in the districts of Hubli-Dharwad, Kalaburgi, Mangalore and Mysore. In each of these districts, a 1000-strength multi-storied hostels are being constructed for which Rs 54 crores has been transferred from Department of Backward Classes to Department of Public Works.
- All steps have been taken to digitize the entire functioning of the Department of Backward classes including admission, administration, management and expenditure.
- The Department of Backward Classes is providing training in competitive examination to about 2170 students in order to get into government service.
- "Swatantraya Amruthothsava March" is a new and innovative scheme announced in the budget 2022-23 which envisages skill development of about 25,000 youths and make them employment-enable in order to make them economically self-reliant. Applications have been invited Online and the process to recruit the youths is in progress.
- Rs 83 Crores has been sanctioned to be provided to 50 religious Mutts belonging to Backward Classes which are into social service and education-related activities.

Krantiveera Sangolli Rayanna Area Development Authority

- Admission process is completed at the Krantiveera Sangolli Rayanna Sainik School at Bailhongal in Belagavi district in coordination with the private and NGOs. The school will start functioning from Standard 6 from September 2022.
- In order to develop Sangolli village, the native village of Sangolli Rayanna and Nandagad in Khanapura taluk (where this hero of India's freedom struggle was hanged), a sum of Rs 65 crores has been released to undertake developmental activities in both these villages. In the year 2022-23, the government has released Rs 52.53 Crores to Sangolli Rayanna Area Development Authority.

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT

Empowering Religious Centres

In his maiden budget presentation, Basavaraj Bommai has stated that 'There is a long pending demand to do away with the Government control on the temples. By considering these demands of devotees, autonomy will be given to temples coming under the purview of the Endowment Department. Necessary legal action will be taken to delegate the discretion of developmental works to the temples'.

To strengthen the religous centres, his government also ensured that a grant to the tune of Rs 7732.00 lakhs be earmarked for the year 2021–22 to 345 institutions out of which Rs 3783.50 lakhs have been released with the work in progress. For the year 2022–23, Rs 3000.00 lakhs have been provided to 106 institutions.

Rs 2118.31 lakhs have been provided during the year 2021-22 to 98 various mutts and institutions. The entire Rs 2118.31 lakhs have been released. For the year 2022 – 23, Rs 2000.00 lakhs have been provided to 48 different mutts out of which Rs 500.00 lakhs have been released.

Under Aradhana Yojane, Rs 740.00 lakhs have been provided for the year 2021 – 22 and equitably distributed to all the 224 Assembly Constituencies. For the year 2022 – 23, Rs 500.00 lakhs have been provided.

Under SC and ST Sub-Scheme Rs 1183 lakhs have been provided and Rs 177 lakhs have been provided under ST Sub-Scheme.

For the year 2022 – 23, Rs 500 lakhs have been provided under SC Sub Scheme and Rs 120 lakhs provided under ST Sub Scheme.

For the comprehensive development of Sri Yediyur Sri Siddalingeshwara Swamy temple, Rs 50.00 lakhs have been released for the year 2021-22 and Rs 20 lakhs have been released for the year 2022-23.

Towards Tastik grant, Rs 13,462 lakhs has been sanctioned for the year 2021 – 22. Steps have been taken to distribute this amount to about 25,945 Hindu religious institutions.

A new scheme, Dyvasankalpa Yojane, has been evolved for the comprehensive development of 205 "A" Grade temples.

The government is implementing in stages 'Integrated Temple Management System' to ensure transparency in its functioning, accountability of finances, digital payments facility, various services and utsava-related activities, providing facilities Online to the devotees are some of the activities that are being taken up under this unique system.

In coordination with the Railways under the "Bharat Gaurav" scheme, subsidised package is being evolved to those pilgrims who undertake pilgrimage to various places in the country. The scheme, which is being implemented by the Department of Muzrai, is in the final stages of being fine-tuned in coordination with the Railways. Guidelines will be issued shortly to that effect.

A scheme has been drawn up to open up "Goshalas" (Cattle Camps) in Group "A" and "B" temples in each and every taluk through the Office of Tahsildar.

The Department of Muzrai has issued a circular stating to celebrate Ugadi festival (Both Souramana and Chandramana Ugadi) as "Rajya Dharmika Day" (State Religious Day) in order to spread awareness about the importance, richness and historical imperativeness of our culture, tradition and heritage.

MINORITY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Ensuring Focused Approach Towards Minorities

Bommai government has given special focus to the welfare of minorities and a sum of Rs 2437.50 crore has been allocated to the Minorities Directorate of which Rs 1266.90 has been spent between July 28, 2021 to June 15, 2022 for selected programmes.

Under the Minority student stipend the fee refund scheme, pre-matric, post-matric, merit-cum-means, M.Phil and PhD students and students going abroad for higher education Rs 175 crore has been allocated of which Rs 100 crore has been released benefitting 2.03,000 students.

The State Government has allocated Rs 16 crore for various schemes including incentive to the students of IITs/IIMs/AIIMS and NIT, incentives to B.Ed and D.Ed students, Talent Award, spoken English training to residential schools.

So far, Rs 31.09 crore has been spent on 90 religious places and places of worship of Jains, Buddhist and Sikh for their renovation and building of community halls. Rs 65 crore has been allocated in the budget to benefit 4716 students belonging to these communities. Rs 10 crore has been released for the comprehensive development of Shravanabelagola Jain Pilgrimage centre.

Rs 54.99 crore has been released to 366 religious institutions for repair and renovation of churches, building of community halls, development of grave yards, orphanages and old age homes.

Of the 13.75 crore allocated in the budget, Rs. 5.75 crore has been released to 122 institutions for modernisation of madrasas and for formal and computer education scheme.

Rs 138.80 crore has been allocated for 200 Maulana Azad Model Schools, staff salary, maintenance of hostels of minorities, post-matric and pre-matric boys and girls hostels for basic facilities. Rs. 39.69 crore has been spent between July 28, 2021 to June 15, 2022.

Of the Rs 379.35 crore, Rs 211.55 crore has been spent for the maintenance of Morarji Desai Model residential schools and colleges. The Chief Minister has commissioned the Maulana Azad Bhavan for establishing a 24/5 call centre at a cost of Rs 12.80 crore to attend and resolve complaints of the minority community. A 24/7 call centre (8777999990) has been set up in the Minorities Welfare Department also.

HOUSING

SHELTERING KARNATAKA

In order to provide housing to people in urban and rural areas, five lakh houses has been sanctioned for the year 2021-22 under Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Ltd. Between July 28, 2021 and June 15, 2022, under different schemes, total 1,03,313 houses were constructed and 2343 houses were distributed to the beneficiaries.

Under various schemes, including Beneficiary-Led Individual House Construction (BLC) and Affordable Housing in Partnership (AHP), an amount of Rs 2217.65 crores was released between July 28, 2021 and June 15, 2022.

Under PMAY-AHP scheme, 11,546 houses were constructed and under Karnataka State Disaster Management Authority (KSDBA), 97,134 houses were sanctioned for construction.

Housing accommodation is provided to those who lost their houses due to floods and heavy rain under 'Flood affected Rehabilitation Scheme'. Between 28th July 2021 and June 15, 2022, Rs 357.66 crores was released.

Under "One lakh Multi-Storied Bangalore Housing Project" Phase 1, 46, 499 Multi-Storied houses, and roofing of about 8117 houses were completed.

Pradhana Mantri Awas Yojane (Rural)

A survey was conducted in the entire state to ascertain the number of homeless and siteless people as per the 2018 guidelines issued by the Union Ministry of Housing under the Prime Minister Rural Housing Scheme. As per this report, a target of 1,41, 391 houses has been given to Karnataka for the year 2021-22. Chief Minister Bommai has submitted a proposal to the Centre for approval for 3.50 lakh houses for the year 2022 – 23.

Karnataka Slum Clearance Board

Under the 'Roof for all' scheme, the Slum Clearance Board has obtained clearance for construction of 1,80,253 houses at the cost of Rs 10,975.98 crores. During the last one year, construction of 10,904 houses has been completed and handed over to the beneficiaries. In the first stage, 83,119 houses have been sanctioned and construction is under progress. Till date, Rs. 22,274.13 crores have been spent and construction started for 72,360 houses. Of these, 40, 136 houses have been completed. In one year, construction of 10,904 houses were completed and given to beneficiaries.

In 2021-22, 97,134 houses were sanctioned for construction and by March 2022, construction of 20,506 houses have started.

Under Slum Board, in 1821 slums, it has been planned to provide ownership agreement letters to 3.36 lakh families. Of these, 13,738 slum dwellers have been given the letters.

Former minister and BJP MLA KS Eshwarappa has dared KPCC president DK Shivakumar to challenge in any court the police clean chit to him in connection with the contractor Santosh Patil suicide case. "I will do whatever Shivakumar asks if I am proved guilty," he said on Tuesday

State govt plans mass marriage scheme for SCs

'Shubha Lagna' will have more benefits, as compared to earlier programme 'Saptapadi'

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AHEAD of the 2023 Assembly elections, the state government is planning to woo people from Schedule Castes by organising 'Shubha Lagna', a mass marriage programme specific to them.

Saptapadi, another mass marriage initiative started during the former chief minister BS Yediyurappa's tenure in 2020, was interrupted because of two years of Covid pandemic. It was restarted last year, and under that scheme, the bridegroom gets a shirt and a dhoti and Rs 5,000 cash, while the bride gets a silk saree, Rs 1,000 cash and 8 gm of gold for the mangalsutra. Saptapadi was organised under the Endowments Ministry, then headed by Kota Shrinivas Poojari.

Shubha Lagna is a similar initiative, but with additional benefits to the bride and groom, and will be organised by the Social Welfare Department. Sources told *The New Indian Express* that as per their estimate, the state has 28 to 30 lakh families belonging to the SC community, and majority of them fall under the economically weaker section. Under Shubha Lagna, like in Saptapadi, the bride and groom will get gold and cloth. "But we also have plans to give them money, which will be a fixed deposit that will help them over the long term. These are initial plans," the sources added.

While Saptapadi is applicable for all eligible brides and grooms under the Hindu Act, Shubha Lagna is limited only to people from the SC communities. Explaining the challenges, the sources said there are hundreds of sub-castes under the SC umbrella and each has a different wedding tradition. "We cannot organise individual weddings specific to their sub-castes. The programme will have a simple and common ritual along with the registration of marriages. Food will also be served during the event," he added.

Initially, the department may choose 100 people from each district, which will work out to 3,000 people across the state. The number may vary. "We estimate the cost to be around Rs 35 crore per annum and it has to be cleared by the Finance Department," the sources said. Poojari, who is now social welfare minister, said there is such a proposal before them and it will be discussed with Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai. "Our government is concerned with the welfare of backward classes and the poor," he added.

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Congress leaders protest in Bengaluru on Tuesday. Right: State Youth Congress chief Mohammed Nalapad being taken into preventive custody | NAGARAJA GADEKAL, EXPRESS

Cong stages silent protest against ED

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STATE Congress leaders on Tuesday staged a 'silent protest' against the Enforcement Directorate's (ED) summons to AICC president Sonia Gandhi in the National Herald case.

State Congress president D K Shivakumar said central agencies, including the ED, Central Bureau of Investigation and Income Tax Departments are being misused to silence political opponents. The agencies are only used against leaders from opposition parties and they have not taken any action against BJP leaders, he said.

Shivakumar said Rahul Gandhi was questioned for 50 hours and Sonia was questioned for three hours earlier, but they have not stopped harassing senior Congress leaders. Sonia had sacrificed the Prime Minister's post and her family had donated family property worth over Rs 20,000 crore, he said.

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Cops detain Nalpad, Youth Cong workers

BENGALURU: High Grounds police on Tuesday took several Youth Congress leaders and workers into preventive custody during their protest against the Enforcement Directorate's (ED) summons to Congress president Sonia Gandhi. More than 500 members gathered in front of the party office and shouted slogans against Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah. When the protesters tried to block the road, the police took them, including state Youth Congress chief Mohammed Nalapad, into preventive custody. They were released late in the evening. **BNS**

SC POSTS MEKEDATU HEARING TO AUG 10

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THE Supreme Court on Tuesday posted hearing of the matter related to the proposed reservoir across the Cauvery river at Mekedatu in Karnataka, to August 10.

The apex court was hearing Tamil Nadu's application seeking to restrain the Cauvery Water Management Authority (CWMA) from deliberating, or passing any order, or direction concerning the detailed project report for the proposed Mekedatu balancing reservoir-cum-drinking water project pending disposal of the applications concerning the project filed by the state. The matter came up for hearing before a bench comprising Justices A M Khanwilkar, A S Oka, and J B Pardiwala. Additional Solicitor General (ASG) Aishwarya Bhati, appearing for the CWMA, sought some time to place an affidavit in the matter.

Senior advocate Shyam Divan, appearing for Karnataka, said they have received the rejoinder affidavit filed on behalf of Tamil Nadu on Monday and there are certain averments made on which instructions are awaited. Senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi appeared for Tamil Nadu.

In its rejoinder to the affidavit filed by Karnataka, Tamil Nadu said, "If a new reservoir is constructed across the Cauvery river upstream of Billigundulu, it will result in harnessing the flows from the uncontrolled catchment which was earmarked exclusively to Tamil Nadu."

In its affidavit filed before the apex court, Karnataka said that the proposed project at Mekedatu is not intended to cause any prejudice to Tamil Nadu. "In any case, the question of prejudice or injury, which Tamil Nadu apprehends, are best resolved in the first instance by the CWMA. Tamil Nadu should not be permitted to run away from CWMA," Karnataka said.

During the hearing in the apex court on July 20, the Tamil Nadu government had said that the proposed reservoir at Mekedatu will "severely impact" the water flow coming to the state.

The Tamil Nadu government had earlier moved the apex court seeking to restrain Karnataka from proceeding with any activity regarding the proposed construction of a reservoir at Mekedatu.

POLITICAL THEATRE

Rao: AAP will set narrative right

UDUPI: Former IPS officer and AAP state vice-president Bhaskar Rao on Tuesday said fanning extreme radicalisation among Muslims helped Congress, but created polarisation among Hindus that helped BJP make huge political gains over the past decade. "AAP will take on both parties in the upcoming elections through the development plank," said Rao, who was in Udupi to meet party workers. AAP will have a region-specific election manifesto. "BJP is pursuing hardcore Hindutva, while Congress has a pro-minority approach. But AAP will go beyond religious lines and all will be involved in our success story," he said. "More than anything else, what is needed in the coastal region is peace, not communal disharmony. Ours is the most suitable party for coastal districts. We will set the right narrative in the elections," he added. **BNS**

BJP worker hacked to death in Sullia

MANGALURU: A BJP worker was hacked to death by two people at Nettar in Bellare police station limits of Sullia taluk on Tuesday night. The deceased, Praveen, who runs a chicken stall, was closing down his shop after day's business when two bike-borne assailants attacked him with weapons. He died while being rushed to the hospital. Bellare police are investigating. Praveen was 32 years old and was an active member of the BJP's Youth Wing, said party sources. Police said the motive behind behind the murder is yet to be ascertained. **BNS**

BJP to organise Janotsava in all dists

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BJP is organising "Janotsava" rallies in all districts starting from July 28 to mark the first anniversary of the Basavaraj Bommai government. As part of the programme, party leaders will create awareness among people on various initiatives of the state and central governments, said Kannada and Culture Minister Sunil Kumar here on Tuesday.

Hitting back at Congress and 75th birthday celebration of Congress Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah, he said the people of Karnataka accept Janotsava, but not person-specific celebrations. "They will reject Siddaramotsava. There is a difference between BJP, Congress and JDS. We in BJP will go to the people and tell them what we have done over the last three years. We want all government programmes to reach all beneficiaries," he said.

"Former chief minister Siddaramaiah is trying to express his desire to become a CM again through his associate Zameer Ahmed Khan and it has hurt KPCC president DK Shivakumar. By issuing a notice to Zameer, Shivakumar is indirectly targeting Siddaramiah. Congress leaders, like Siddaramaiah, are known to have ruled by dividing people in the name of caste and religion. Society is not about one caste or religion and compromises all castes and religions. BJP is the only party that gives social justice to all sections. Ours is not a person-centric or family-centric party," he added. On August 28, a mega-event will be held in Doddaballapura to mark three years of BJP in office, he added.

The booklet released by the Congress on the "failures" of the BJP government

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Corruption rampant under BJP govt: Cong

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CONGRESS leaders Siddaramaiah, DK Shivakumar and BK Hariprasad on Tuesday slammed BJP government's decision to celebrate one year of Basavaraj Bommai government and three years of the party rule in the state.

They said it is not Sadhana Sammelana, but a celebration of corruption of the BJP government.

Corruption has become rampant since BJP came to power in the state, while Karnataka and Bengaluru have turned into capitals of corruption in the country, they added.

Instead of doubling the income of farmers, the government has increased prices of fertilisers and pesticides. It has created history by imposing GST on milk products, they added.

"When questioned about the PSI recruitment scam, the government lied saying there was no illegality. Some people were arrested after our leaders put up evidence. Some of those involved in the scam were sent back without investigation," they said.

"Though Contractors Association president Kempanna complained to the Prime Minister about a 40 per cent commission being sought by ministers, why was it not investigated? A contractor and a worker from BJP, Santosh Patil from Belagavi, committed suicide unable to bear the harassment. Why was the former minister not questioned? When the chief minister, former chief minister and other leaders gave a clean chit to the ex-minister, how could the police conduct a fair probe," they sought to know.

Naseer Ahmed pitches hard for MLC ticket

DAVANAGERE: With the election to one Legislative Council seat slated for next month, Dr CR Naseer Ahmed from Davanagere is trying hard for the ticket. His candidature is said to be supported by MP Dr GM Siddeshwara, MLA SA Ravindranath, swamijis from the coastal region and also by leaders from and central and other parts of the state. Prominent mutt heads have written to national BJP president JP Nadda and party organising secretary BL Santhosh, asking them to name Dr CR Naseer Ahmed, who is the Planning Commission member. Naseer told TNIE, "I have been the Planning Commission member from 2010 to 2013 and also from 2016 till date. If chosen, the minorities too will repose faith in the party in future." Naseer said he has met Santhosh and general secretary, Karnataka in-charge, Arun Singh to pitch for his candidature. **BNS**

Blocking info violation of freedom of speech: Twitter to High Court

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IT contended that blocking of information from public access without issuing notice to the originators was gross violation of freedom of speech guaranteed to citizen-users of the Twitter Inc platform.

The court permitted Twitter Inc to furnish documents — the blocking order — which it referred to in its pleadings in a sealed cover and that the same should be deposited in the safe custody of the court.

The court also said it was open to Twitter Inc to serve those documents to the Central Government Panel counsel.

Rohatgi argued that blocking rules required reasons to be recorded for issuance of orders to block the accounts/URLs, as Twitter Inc was answerable to individual account holders to block their accounts. But no reasons were given while issuing such orders to block objectionable tweets. If such an order was complied with as it is, Twitter Inc would lose its entire business and would have to be closed, the senior counsel argued.

Twitter Inc stated that pursuant to the blocking orders, the Ministry issued a communication dated June 27, 2022 directing Twitter Inc to comply, failing which it would prescribe serious consequences against Twitter Inc, that is, withdrawal of the protection under Section 79(1) of the IT Act, as well as initiation of criminal proceedings under the provisions of the IT Act.

Highlighting that several of the originators of tweets were identifiable public figures and that some of the URLs contained political and journalistic content, Twitter Inc stated in the petition that contents of the twitter accounts and tweets in question by the Union government fell under the freedom of speech guaranteed under Article 19(1)(a) of the constitution and did not violate Section 69A of Information Technology Act.

Twitter Inc stated that to the best of its knowledge no notice under Rule 8 of the Blocking Rules had been provided to the user, nor any opportunity of hearing granted by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology by directing the intermediary to remove the content/account of users without following the procedure laid down by the apex court to prevent the misuse blocking power", Twitter Inc alleged.

It has also contended that the action of suspension was not a temporary measure but would amount to the user whose account is blocked from accessing services on Twitter permanently.

There was no time limit specified in the orders in question, nor was there any review mechanism provided for reconsideration of the decision after a period of time. This is further evidence of the disproportionate nature of the blocking orders, Twitter claimed.

It was also stated in the petition that the blocking rules provide a format under Rule 6(2) of the act for a complaint initiating the blocking process by a Nodal Officer. However, the Rules do not prescribe a similar standard format for the passing of a blocking order. This shows legislative intent that a blocking order must be descriptive in nature, with application of mind and reasons to be recorded on a case to case basis. Failure to provide detailed reasons goes to the root of the matter and renders the orders liable to be quashed, Twitter Inc argued.

ASHADA BONANZA

Chamundi Hill temple rakes in moolah

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THANKS to Ashada, Sri Chamundeshwari temple atop Chamundi Hills saw a huge spike in hundi collection (cash offering), recording more than Rs 2.33 crore, in just one month.

More than 250 temple staffers started counting the money on Monday and recorded Rs 2,29,93,719 in currency notes and Rs 3,57,533 in coins. Besides, the temple also received 270 gram of gold jewellery and 1 kg of silver.

Chamundi Hills Temple Executive Officer CH Krishna said that apart from the hundi collection, the temple recorded Rs 1.03 crore through sale of special entry tickets during Ashada, which saw lakhs of devotees from Karnataka and neighbouring states visiting the temple.

According to officials, this is the highest ever monthly collection as in the past, the maximum amount the temple had collected was Rs 1.59 crore. This is the first time the offering box collection has crossed Rs 2 crore in Ashada.

Sri Chamundeshwari temple staff with the hundi collection | EXPRESS

Minors were consuming alcohol: M'luru top cop

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MANGALURU city police commissioner N Shashi Kumar after visiting the pub on Tuesday morning said no student was physically assaulted in the incident. "A group of activists had gathered in front of the pub and alleged that minor students were consuming alcohol. The activists then spoke to the bouncers and asked them to stop the party. The bouncers tried to prevent the activists from entering the pub and after discussing the matter with the manager asked the students to leave. But there was no physical violence," he said.

Further, the police commissioner said the manager and the staff have been summoned to verify the details. "We have found that eight girls and boys who attended the party are underage as per the Karnataka Excise Licenses (General Conditions) Rules, 1967. We have sent the report to the excise department for necessary action," he said.

VHP leader Shivananda Mendon urged the police to put an end to illegal activities taking place in pubs. Bajrang Dal leader Puneeth Attavar said Mangaluru city is getting a bad name due to students partying in pubs. "The pubs should follow guidelines," he said.

DURATION OF PANDEMIC	CASES REPORTED	DEATHS	DISCHARGES
2 YEARS, 140 DAYS	■ 1,425 ◄ 989	■ 1 | ◄ 1	■ 1,459 | ◄ 1,204
	TALLY	POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
		■ 5.91% | ◄ 5.91%	■ 1.00 % | ◄ 1.00 %
■ TODAY	■ 39,98,142	ACTIVE CASES ■ 8,861	RECOVERY RATE ■ 98.77%
◄ YESTERDAY	◄ 39,96,717	◄ 8,896	◄ 98.77%

Bflru Urban 1,198	Chamarajanagar: 5	Dharwad: 17	Kolar: 8	Shivamogga: 9
Bflru Rural: 19	Chikkaballapur: 4	Gadag: 0	Koppal: 0	Tumakuru: 16
Bagalkot: 2	Chikkamagaluru: 0	Hassan: 0	Mandya: 5	Udupi: 3
Ballari: 15	Chitradurga: 0	Haveri: 0	Mysuru: 51	Uttara Kannada: 7
Belagavi: 12	D Kannada: 11	Kalaburagi: 7	Raichur: 3	Vijayapura: 12
Bidar: 4	Davanagere: 4	Kodagu: 7	Ramanagara: 0	Yadgir: 1

Seized red sanders logs at Police Commissioner's office on Tuesday | NAGARAMGADEKAL

₹2cr+ worth red sanders seized from farmhouse

Five nabbed, police trying to trace kingpin

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NEARLY 1,693 kg of red sanders worth Rs 2.68 crore that was illegally stored at a farmhouse in Hesaraghatta has been seized by the west division police. The police initially picked up a 31-year-old man who was appointed to look after the farmhouse when he had come along with his associate with samples of the red sanders to sell it to some prospective buyer at Timber Yard Layout near the satellite bus stand in Byatarayanapura. The other person had managed to escape. Based on his information, the police raided the farm house and seized the red sanders. The police arrested four more persons from Nelamangala who also had a few samples of red sanders.

The police have written to the jurisdictional revenue inspector seeking ownership details of the farmhouse as they were unable to find out the details of the exact owner.

Suspecting that the red sanders would have been illegally transported from neighbouring Andhra Pradesh, the police are also writing to the police there seeking their coordination to find out the kingpin and the possible smuggling route.

The accused are R Vinod, a resident of Kamakshipalya. He was arrested on Friday morning. His associate Ajay, a resident of T Dasarahalli had managed to escape. Based on Vinod's information, the police arrested Lakshmaiah, Sanjay, Raju and Krishna from Nelamangala area on Sunday afternoon.

"Vinod and Ajay had come on a bike with the samples of around 17 kg of red sanders. None of the five arrested are part of the bigger racket. They are all small fish and do not know about the smuggling. The red sanders is said to have been 40 to 50 years old," said the police. Two bikes have also been seized from the accused. The Byatarayanapura police have registered a case.

After 42 yrs, BDA gets nod to acquire land in HRBR Layout

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

THE Supreme Court on Monday allowed the Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) to go ahead with the acquisition of 3 acres and 23 guntas of land at HRBR Layout, valued at around Rs 70 crore. The BDA has been waiting for 42 years to take possession of this property on Banaswadi Main Road from a family that refused to part with it and dragged the agency to both the High Court and the Supreme Court.

"It is a momentous judgment. The BDA has already developed a layout here in the past, leaving out this portion due to litigation. We left it untouched since 1980 and developed our layout with properties acquired from others. Now, we can develop up to 35 sites of 40x60 sqft dimension on this property, thanks to the ruling. We will probably hand it over to the special category site allottees like sportspersons or award winners who have been waiting for 10 to 15 years to get a promised site from us," G Kumar, Executive Engineer, BDA North Division, told *The New Indian Express*. "Many who lost out on their sites in Arkavathy Layout due to denotification orders await alternative sites and they could also be provided sites here," he added. While the corner sites formed from the layout would be auctioned, the intermediate ones would be allotted.

Giving details, the official said that the BDA had notified the property of Narayan Reddy (Survey No. 345) for preliminary acquisition in 1977 and had issued the final notification in 1980. "The family took the BDA to court and filed a case in 1984. In its verdict in 1988, the court had ruled in favour of the acquisition. BDA deposited a sum of Rs 7 lakh for the property with the court and wanted to go ahead with it."

The family filed a writ petition in the High Court in 2014. The BDA filed a writ appeal in 2017 and the court ruled in favour of BDA on May 24, 2022.

"Reddy's children - Rama Reddy, Lokesh Reddy and Anupama - filed a case in the Supreme Court and the jury upheld the HC verdict issued two months ago in favour of BDA," Kumar said.

Some temporary buildings have come up at the place over the decades and they would be demolished to make way for creating sites. "The family would be handed over Rs 12 lakh as compensation which would include 15 per cent interest amount accumulated over the years," he added.

The property on Banaswadi Main Road | EXPRESS

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Two elderly pedestrians killed in separate accidents

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

TWO pedestrians were killed in two separate accidents in the city. In the first incident, a 64-year-old man was knocked down by a speeding car in front of Orion Mall in Malleswaram on Monday. The police suspect that the driver of the car was under the influence of alcohol and are waiting for the FSL report. The victim, Venkatesh M, a resident of Rajajinagar had gone for his evening walk when the car knocked him down at 9 pm. The driver of the car, Divish, 29, a Yeshwantpur-based businessman, was caught by the passersby and handed him over to the Malleswaram traffic police. Divish was also injured in the accident and taken to a nearby hospital.

In another incident, a 72-year-old woman pedestrian was killed after a speeding BMTC bus knocked her down in Yeshwanthpur on Monday evening.

The victim, Chinnapillai, was a street vendor. The accident occurred at 7.30pm while she was returning home after selling onions at a nearby market. She died on the spot as she came under the rear wheel of the bus. Driver Syed Iqbal has been arrested on charges of negligent driving.

EXPRESS READ

Four vehicles damaged in serial accident

Bengaluru: Three cars and a goods vehicle were damaged in a serial accident on Peenya Flyover on Tuesday. Traffic was thrown out of gear for a while following the incident. However, no casualties were reported. Police said that the incident occurred around 12 pm when highway patrol staff were removing flexes when their vehicle suddenly applied the brakes and three cars and a goods vehicle coming behind it rammed into each other. **ENS**

Man fined for drunk driving near terminal

Bengaluru: A man was caught by security personnel near the Kempegowda International Airport for riding his two-wheeler close to the terminal area in an inebriated condition. "Shahabuddin Shah had lost control over himself and was in a completely inebriated state and so he was detained. There appears to be no other wrongdoing on his part except riding his TVS 50 too close to the Departures area," said a source. The incident is being treated a petty case and he was let off with a warning and a small fine, he added. **ENS**

Zambian woman carrying heroin worth ₹30 cr held at KIA

BALA CHAUHAN @ Bengaluru

THE Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI), Bengaluru unit, on Monday intercepted and later arrested a Zambian national at the Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) after they recovered four-and-a-half kg of heroin, which was concealed in her baggage. The market value of the banned narcotic drug is more than Rs 30 crore in the international grey market, sources said.

According to sources, the Zambian woman, aged 40, had travelled from Addis Ababa to Bengaluru on Ethiopian Airlines and landed at KIA at 8.30am on July 25. This was her first visit to India. Upon arrival, the DRI intercepted her and later arrested her after they recovered heroin from her baggage. "Her handler – also a Zambian had given her the consignment in Zambia. To conceal the origin of the contraband she travelled from there to Addis Ababa before boarding the Ethiopian Airlines to Bengaluru. He had instructed her to call him soon after landing in Bengaluru for further movement instruction," sources added.

"On July 21, the DRI, Bengaluru unit, arrested a Ugandan national, 30, who had ingested 80 capsules of methamphetamine weighing 1 kg worth Rs 4 crore in the international grey market," said sources.

"He was instructed to check in a hotel form his handler. The receivers of the contraband would have come to take the consignment after a week. In the meantime, he was told to excrete the capsules and keep them safely," sources added. "In both the cases, the handlers of the two mules had paid their air fare and given them some allowance. They were assured commission after safe delivery of the drugs," they added.

"The DRI on July 21 also seized 4.3 kg of pseudoephedrine from an international courier consignment which had originated from Chennai and was marked for shipment to New Zealand," sources said. "The seized drug is worth nearly a crore in the illicit market," sources added.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN:U40109KA1999SGC025521)
No. SEE/TR/BRAZ/EE/AEE-4/F-16/2022-23/2512 Dt: 26.07.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION (e-Procurement mode only)

KPTCL invites Bids against Enquiry No.: KPTCL/SEE (TR)/MYR-RA/AE-(3)/A-F-4/ 8722-23/EP-PR-718 Dtd: 22.07.2022 for 'Design, Manufacture, Testing and supply and commissioning of 11(Eleven) nos. of 110 Volts DC, 100 AH / 5A float capacity, Boost mode adjustable from 0.20 Amps(Max) Battery Charger as per Technical Specification, for use at various 66/11 KV Stations coming under Transmission(Maintenance), BRAZ Circle.

Bids will be received through e-procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in with hyperlink "e-Procurement-KPTCL" or https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in on or after 27.07.2022.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, (Elec.),
Transmission (Maintenance),
BRAZ Circle, KPTCL, UAS Campus, Hebbal,
Bengaluru-560024, Ph: 080-23415347.

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike
Office of the Senior Assistant Director Education
Head Office BBMP, N.R. Square, Bengaluru 560 002.
No. EE/SPR-4/2022-23 Date: 25-07-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike invites SHORT TERM REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL for Organizing the cultural programme for BBMP School Students on Independence Day from eligible bidders

Following are the Events of Bid process: (1) Date of Commencement of Download of Documents from e-Procurement from : **26-07-2022 onwards**. (2) Last Date and Time for Uploading Online Queries in e-Procurement **27-07-2022, 5:00 p.m.** (3) Last Date and Time for uploading of tender in the e-Procurement portal : **02-08-2022 upto 5:30 p.m.** (4) Date and Time of Online Opening of Technical bids : **03-08-2022 at 5:31 p.m.** (5) Address for Communication: Office of Senior Assistant Director, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru, Phone: 080-22112585 / 22975824/22975726, E-mail: emdurgation@yahoo.in

(1) Tender documents may be downloaded from the website https://eproc.karnataka.in (2) Other details can be seen in the tender documents

Sd/-, Senior Assistant Director, BBMP.

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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
MINOR IRRIGATION AND GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DIVISION, BALLARI.
NIT No. EE/MI & GWD/BRy-AE2/2022-23/512
Date : 25.07.2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (KW-4 & 2)

On behalf of Hon'ble Governor of Karnataka the Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Division, Ballari invites the tender for the [illegible] Check dams & RT works in Hampasagara Tq Vijayanagara Dist under Head of Account 4702 Part C Check dam work Karnataka Tank Scheme Details are Here Under as per 4702 Schedule Item Check Dam (KW-4) Minimum Estimated amount put to tender is Rs.111.42 lakhs and Maximum Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 439.29 lakhs. Interested should download and submit the tenders from date : 26.07.2022 to 05.08.2022 upto 17.30 hours. Date & Time of opening Technical Bid is on 08.08.2022 at 11.00 hours. Opening of Financial Bid is on 12.08.2022 at 11.00 hours. Any other information should get by login the website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Executive Engineer, M.I. & G.W.D. Division, Ballari.
DIPR/Ballari-287/MIDA/2022-23

Government of Karnataka
Water Resources Development Organization
[illegible] Engineer for Irrigation Investigation Division
#29 Mysuru, Karnataka-570[illegible], Phone no: (0821-2[illegible], Email: rdwrid@gmail.com

e-Procurement Tender Notification
NATIONAL HYDROLOGY PROJECT (World Bank Funded)
CORRIGENDUM NOTICE-02 Dated 26.07.2022

Executive Engineer No.1, Irrigation Investigation Division Mysuru, Karnataka-570020 extends the Tender Notification No. 04/2022-23 Dated 23.06.2022 (IFB No: KA NHP SW/04/2022-23 dated: 23-06-2022) for the work: Upgradation of existing 10 manual river gauge stations to Hydrological Observation sites and Establishing 03 new Hydrological Observation sites in Southern Karnataka coming under the jurisdiction of Mysore Circle by Supply, testing, commissioning, operations and maintenance of continuous discharge flow meters, water level recorders, telemetry data transmission and integrate with data center located at Bengaluru. (Indt no: WRD/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT/2244) In order to give prescribed time to bidders maximum time to obtain documents, preparing their bids, the Revised Tender Schedule is extended as below. The Last date & time for submission of bids is 01.08.2022 upto 3.00 p.m. and the Bid opening Date: 02.08.2022 at 4.00 p.m. Further details may be obtained from the under signed office. Visit the www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in website for latest, if any addendum/details published.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
No.1, Irrigation Investigation Division,
Mysuru, Karnataka-570020.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ (ಜಲ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ಇಲಾಖೆ)
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Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Veedi, Bengaluru-560 001, Phone: 080-2356 4681/4204,
Fax: (080-2356 4681) E-mail: dfbmtpc@gmail.com

Ref : :DOF-TECH-FYP-87/2021-E-952635 Date:22-07-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION THROUGH e-PROCUREMENT

Subject: Notice inviting tender (NIT) for selection of the organization to develop Seed Production Centre's in PPP mode. Department of Fisheries, Government of Karnataka, invites e-Tender (NIT) in Double Cover System (Through e-procurement portal) Tender number: **DOF/TECH-0/Shanthisagar** and Tender number: **DOF/TECH-0/Bi/Markonahalli**, mode for selection of the organization to develop Seed Production Centre's, Markonahalli, Kunigal, Tumkur and Shantisagar, Channagiri, Davanagere district in PPP mode. Note: For more information, the above mentioned officer may be contacted during office hours. 1. Last date for uploading documents related to e-Procurement is: **12-08-2022**.

Sd/-
DIPR/CP-1500/SHIRDI SAI/2022-23 Director of Fisheries

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No. CEE/TR2/SEE/Dy.AEE-3/22-23/4385-72/4373-78 Date: 25.07.2022

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Only through E Procurement Mode)

KPTCL invites tenders for the following.

1) Enquiry No. KPTCL/CEE/TKR/TZ/CEP-225/CALL-2 Dtd 20.07.2022 for **Design, Manufacture, Testing and Supply of 220KV Control and Relay Panels required for replacement of age old C&R panels in various 220KV Receiving Stations coming under Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Tumakuru.**

2) Enquiry No. KPTCL/CEE/TKR/TZ/CEP-228/CALL-2 Dtd. 25.07.2022 **for Design, Manufacture, Testing and Supply of 110KV and 66KV CTs of various Ratios required for Replacement of age old and Faulty CTs at various Sub-Stations pertaining to Tumakuru and Davangere Circle coming under Transmission Zone, KPTCL, Tumakuru.**

The bids will be received through e-procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the e procurement portal can be obtained by logging in to KPTCL website: https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in on hyperlink "e-procurement-KPTCL" or to **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **29.07.2022**. Other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/-, Chief Engineer (Elec), Transmission Zone, KPTCL,
Siddaganga Complex, B.H. Road, Tumakuru-2

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RECRUITMENT NOTIFICATION – SCIENTIST POSITIONS

Advt No: IAV/2022 dated: 04.07.2022

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For application form and further details, log on to www.iav.kerala.gov.in.

Last date for the receipt of application: 31.08.2022.

Sd/-
Director

Karnataka Govt

Women and Child Department, Holalkere-577 526

Ph: 08191-275250. Email: cdpoholalgmail.com

No. CDPOII/Egg/Tender/22-2023 Dated: 16.07.2022

E-Tender Notification

The Child Development Project Officer, Holalkere Taluk, Chitradurga District Department of Women and Child Development, Government of Karnataka (Purchaser) invites tenders from eligible tenderers who are registered in the e-Procurement Portal by using ID & Digital Signature for the Supply of Eggs to ICDS Projects at Holalkere Taluk Chitradurga District as per details given below/website address http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in Contact No: 08191-275250.

Item / Goods: Eggs including Transportation, Quantity: 129100, Estimated Cost per year (Rs in lakhs): 92.95, EMD (Rs in lakhs): 1.85, Last Date and Time uploading e-Tender in e-Procurement portal: 17.08.2022 upto 02:00 PM.

Sd/- Child Development Project Officer, Holalkere.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ

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DEVARAJU, 7000, STUD 4, 1219, MANIKANTA, 5, 3000, CHAIN 1, 1202, 1 1 1

With the ensuing annual Brahmotsavams in Tirumala temple scheduled between September 27 and October 5, Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams CVSO Narasimha Kishore along with Tirupati Urban SP Parameshwar Reddy inspected the four Mada streets in Tirumala on Tuesday

A flooded Musi river in Hyderabad on Tuesday | VINAY MADAPU

100 MM RAIN DROWNS HYD

More downpour predicted for next 3 days

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Hyderabad

TORRENTIAL rain which began pounding Hyderabad in the early hours of Tuesday continued throughout the day inundating low-lying areas. The rain left the city choking with swirling waters quickly filling up drains bringing vehicular traffic to a grinding halt.

The streets resembled pools in several parts of the city and the cellars filled up with surging waters in apartments damaging the parked vehicles and posing a threat of electrocution though no such incidents were reported to from anywhere.

The rain which was about 8-10 cm in the early hours affected Cherlapally, Hayatnagar, Charminar, Saidabad, Amberpet and Himayatnagar.

River Musi is in spate filling the twin reservoirs Osmansagar and Himayatsagar. Flood water is being released downstream from both Osmansagar and Himayatsagar.

Following the downpour, the Telangana government sounded a high alert on Tuesday and directed all officials to ensure there was no loss of life.

The India Meteorological Department has predicted moderate to heavy rainfall for the next three days across Telangana, including Hyderabad and Ranga Reddy districts.

Meanwhile, the Hussainsagar Lake in Hyderabad is filled to the brim and water is being let out through vents. The current water level in the lake is 513.47 metre against an FTL of 513.41 metre. The lake is receiving massive inflows through the Kukatpally nala.

Karnataka to have its first-ever firefly park in two years

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

WHEN was the last time Bengalureans or those staying in urban areas saw fireflies flutter around? Those who have not need not be disappointed as Karnataka is all set to have its first-ever park dedicated to fireflies. If all goes as per plan, the park will become a reality in two years.

Pointing out that the number of fireflies in the environment has come down, researchers from the Environmental Management and Policy Research Institute (EMPRI) are now busy preparing the protocol for lab breeding of fireflies and are also surverying the Western Ghats and other forest patches to track the presence of fireflies.

EMPRI Director General Jagmohan Sharma told *TNIE* that this will be the first-ever park of its kind. He said, "We have started the breeding protocol and once we are confident that we can breed them in-house and have the capacity, it will be enhanced. Research is underway and it will take around two years to open the park."

The idea was also discussed at the recently-held international webinar organised by EMPRI on World Firefly Day. At the webinar, discussions took place on setting up the firefly park on the lines of Bannerghatta Butterfly Park. This will also be used to promote awareness about nature and tourism. Participants from 11 countries – Australia, Cuba, Japan, Malaysia, Vietnam, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, the USA, Bangladesh and Singapore – attended the day-long webinar.

Sharma added, "The idea of protection of wildlife started in the 1980s, where species like lion, tiger and elephant were given importance. This was successfully done for 40 years and under its umbrella other species were to be given importance. Now it is time to give importance and protection to second and third-level species and fireflies are an integral part of it. Teams of entomologists have started the exercise of surveying and mapping the areas where fireflies are found in abundance, scattered and are extinct".

62 students take ill after consuming folic acid tablets in Saudatti school

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Belagavi

AT least 62 school students were admitted to hospital with complaints of vomiting and stomach ache soon after they consumed folic acid tablets after the mid-day meal in their school in Basidoni, Saudatti taluk, on Monday.

As usual, all the students of Government Primary School at Basidoni village were given folic acid tablets by the school authorities on Monday after the students drank milk soon after their mid-day meals.

"About 62 students were rushed to Saudatti General Hospital from the school with complaints of stomach ache and vomiting on Monday evening. The doctors found that the children had taken folic acid tablets immediately after having food and milk and that's why some of them had problems of vomiting and stomach ache due to acidity. However, all the students were given glucose saline at the hospital and the condition of all of them is stable. They were discharged late on Monday itself from the hospital," said District Health Officer of Belagavi, Dr Mahantesh Koni.

He said the same folic acid tablets were being given to the students in government schools once a week on Monday for the past several years.

"From the preliminary investigation, it was found that the students had minor health problems due to acidity and nothing else. We have brought the issue to all the senior officials of the Health Department," he added.

BEO of Saudatti, Karikatti, who was on the spot to help the students said the tablets were being given for the past 15 years to the government schools students in Saudatti to keep them healthy. All the students admitted to hospital were discharged the same day and their condition is stable, he said.

Although the condition of all 62 students of the school is stable, the Health Department has kept an ambulance ready in the village as a precautionary measure, according to the DHO.

Food poisoning: 40 AP students fall sick

KURNOOL: As many as 40 students of a mandal parisath upper primary school fell sick after reportedly eating spurious food served during midday meal on Tuesday. The school is located at Chakrala village of Pathikodan mandal on Tuesday. All the students were immediately admitted to the Pathikonda government hospital, where the condition of five was said to be critical. The authorised agency served midday meals to the school students as usual on Tuesday afternoon. Out of the total strength of 220, 160 students who were present had their lunch there. ENS

AIADMK seeks CBI probe into ransacking of party HQ

T MURUGANANDHAM @ Chennai

THE AIADMK led by Edappadi K Palaniswami (EPS) on Tuesday expressed dissatisfaction over the 'inaction' of the State police in investigating the violent incidents that took place on July 11 at party headquarters and urged the DGP to transfer the case to either CBI or an independent authority soon.

Former minister CVe Shanmugam, a senior leader of the party, submitted a representation in this regard to the DGP. In the representation, Shanmugam summed up what happened on July 11 at the AIADMK headquarters and that even after three complaints, police have not taken any step to start an investigation into the matter. Copies of the representation have also been sent to the State Home Secretary, Chennai Police Commissioner, and Inspector of Police, Royapettah police station.

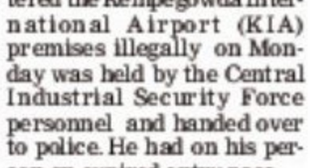
"The police are yet to visit the AIADMK headquarters to assess the scene of the crime - that is, how the office was ransacked and the assets were destroyed there. Only after police visit can we touch any object there and rearrange the office. Until then, everything remains strewn around," a senior functionary told *TNIE*. The party is also planning to move court if there is no sufficient response from the police.

Man caught for entering KIA terminal illegally

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

A hotel employee who entered the Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) premises illegally on Monday was held by the Central Industrial Security Force personnel and handed over to police. He had on his person an expired entry pass.

According to a top source, the Airport Entry Pass (AEP) is an important ID document provided to the hundreds of staffers employed at the airport and different airlines as well as those employed in numerous jobs inside including housekeeping to facilitate easy access for them inside airport. It is provided only after extensive checks. The source said, "The individual had come to see off some person inside the airport using this pass. He is an employee of Hotel Mariott. On checking his credentials at the gate, security personnel found that the pass had expired. It is completely illegal to enter a highly secure area like the airport like this as it poses a security risk." He was handed over immediately to the airport police to initiate action against him. Airport police could not be reached despite numerous attempts.



Students dressed as chess pieces organise themselves on a mammoth chess board in the run-up to the 44th Chess Olympiad in Chennai on Tuesday | SRIRAM

PM to inaugurate Chess Olympiad

ENS @ Chennai

PM Narendra Modi will inaugurate the 44th Chess Olympiad here at a grand event at Jawaharlal Nehru Indoor Stadium on July 28. The PM launched the first-ever Chess Olympiad Torch Relay at the Indira Gandhi National Stadium in New Delhi on June 19. The torch travelled to 75 iconic locations in the country for over 40 days, traversing close to 20,000 km and culminating in Mahabalipuram, before heading over to the FIDE Headquarters, Switzerland.

The 44th Chess Olympiad will commence in Chennai on July 28 and go on till August 9, 2022. The prestigious competition, which has been organised since 1927, is being hosted in India for the first time and in Asia after 30 years. With 187 countries participating, this will be the largest participation in any Chess Olympiad so far. India is also fielding its biggest ever contingent in the competition, comprising 30 players across six teams. A PIB release said the PM will also attend the 42nd convocation of Anna University here. He will hand over gold medals and certificates to 69 gold medalists and address the gathering on the occasion.

According to the tentative schedule, the PM will arrive at Chennai airport at 4.45 pm by an IAF flight from Ahmedabad. He will meet the dignitaries and leaders of political parties for 35 minutes and reach the INS Adyar helipad at 5.45 pm by air. From there, the PM will reach Nehru stadium by road. After inaugurating the Olympiad, he will stay at Raj Bhavan. AIADMK leaders, including O Panneerselvam, Edappadi K Palaniswami, and leaders of the BJP State unit, including president K Annamalai, are likely to meet him. The next day, after attending the convocation, the PM will leave Chennai at 11.55 am by an IAF flight.

25 sandalwood trees axed in Karnataka forest

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE state forest department officials are on the hunt for a gang that reduced 25 sandalwood trees, which were 4-5 years old, to mere stumps during a late night theft at the Gottiupura state forest in Hoskote. The incident occurred four days ago, and special teams have been formed to protect the forest patch, from where the trees were removed, and to find the culprits. The incident has put the ground staff on high alert to protect the sandalwood trees in the forests of Karnataka.

According to forest department officials, the Institute of Wood Science and Technology (IWST) is growing 1,000-1,500 sandalwood trees at a special patch in Gottiupura for research. Officials admitted that the area was not adequately protected initially as it is fenced and situated inside the forest.

The police are investigating the case, while forest department sleuths too are working parallelly to identify and nab the poachers.

A senior forest official said, "We suspect a big gang is involved in the incident as 25 trees have been axed. They must have surveyed the area and decided on the time of crime. While axing of even one or two trees is reported, this is the first time in the recent past that such a large number of trees have been cut. More teams have been deployed for security and patrolling at Gottipura and all the 70 forest blocks in Bengaluru Rural to protect sandalwood trees."

Sandalwood is the state tree of Karnataka and in the last state budget, the government announced a special programme for plantation and protection of the species.

ELSEWHERE IN SOUTH

75-year-old man sentenced to 21 years RI for raping minor

THRISSUR: A Fast Track Special Pocso court on Tuesday sentenced a 75-year-old man to 21 years of rigorous imprisonment for sexually abusing a 10-year-old girl. The court also slapped a fine of Rs 1,10,000 on the accused Thaikkat Gangadharan, a native of Velur. The incident occurred in 2016 when the accused visited his daughter's house at Nedupuzha. The victim who was the friend of Gangadharan's granddaughter was sexually abused by the accused when she visited their house on the day. ENS

Tamil Nadu gets three new Ramsar sites

CHENNAI: Three wetlands in Tamil Nadu were declared as Ramsar Sites on Tuesday. Pallikaranai marshland in Chennai, Pichavaram mangroves in Cuddalore, and Karikili bird sanctuary in Chengalpattu got the coveted international recognition, Union Environment Minister Bhupender Yadav announced in a tweet. Pichavaram is home to one of the largest mangrove forests in the world, and Karikili bird sanctuary is an abode of migratory birds. ENS

A FLOOD OF EMPATHY

Andhra Pradesh CM YS Jagan Mohan Reddy interacts with residents at a flood-hit village in Konaseema district on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Parents arrested for murder of newlywed couple

THOOTHUKUDI: In connection with the murder of the newly wed couple Manickaraja and Reshma, Ettayapuram police arrested Reshma's parents S Muthukutti (43) and M Mahalakshmi (40) on Tuesday. Deputy Superintendent of Police (DSP) Prakash said the accused were arrested at Kovilpatti after tracking their phone signals. Muthukutti allegedly murdered his daughter Reshma and her husband Manickaraja at the latter's house at Veerapatti in Ettayapuram on Monday for marrying against his wishes. "Mahalakshmi had gone to her relative's house in Kovilpattion Monday and Muthukutti joined her after committing the crime. A special team of police picked them up at Kovilpatti," added sources. Meanwhile, Manickaraja's mother Petchiammal received the deceased couple's bodies and cremated them in the presence of police personnel on Tuesday. ENS

SUNFLOWER CULTIVATION

'Bee'ting the odds through manual pollination

THINAKARAN RAJAMANI @ Tenkasi

WITH the Ukraine war disrupting sunflower oil supply, South Tamil Nadu's farmers have chanced upon an opportunity to meet the demand. To make the most of it, farmers from Sambavar Vadakarai in Tenkasi district are pollinating crops manually.

"This is because we haven't had enough bees for natural pollination in recent years," explains Sheik Mohideen, deputy agricultural officer of Shengottai block. Scientists have flagged the decline in bee populations across the world for some years, citing pesticide use and climate change as causes.

Deputy agricultural officer Sheik Mohideen demonstrates manual pollination | EXPRESS

Besides, manual (hand) pollination yields better-quality seeds, say farmers. "I have been cultivating sunflower on four acres for the past eight years. Most of the time, the yield was poor. We informed agricultural officials, and they introduced us to hand pollination," says K Sivanan, a farmer.

But the task is labour intensive, and requires help from not just farmers' families, but also daily wage labourers. This is why it isn't practised in Thoothukudi district though officials are trying to promote it, K Navaneethan, president of Southern Dryland Farmers Association, points out, adding that most people prefer to work under MGNREGA.

As for why bees are disappearing from farms, bee scientist K Suresh says it's mainly due to indiscriminate use of pesticide on crops.

"This is why farmers are advised to use insecticides like imidacloprid, which doesn't affect bees as much. But recent research shows even imidacloprid affects bees, adds Suresh, who works at the Horticulture College and Research Institute in Periyakulam.

EDITORIAL

"The purpose of life is to live it, to taste experience to the utmost, to reach out eagerly and without fear for newer and richer experience" — Eleanor Roosevelt

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— Ramnath Goenka

STATE GOVERNMENTS SHOULD RELEASE SUBSIDIES TO DISCOMS

Electricity supply in the country is no more a controversial subject or the pain that it was a few decades ago. We got our act together since, and the Central Electricity Authority (CEA) projects an energy surplus of 6.4% for the country in the previous financial year. On the other hand, while huge strides were made in power generation, the distribution side, managed mainly by state-run power distribution companies (discoms), is still in a mess. Consumers, especially in rural areas, continue to suffer extended outages, lousy maintenance and unstable voltage. The two main reasons are: first, there are considerable losses in transmission and distribution; second, tariffs—regulated by political expedience—are often below the cost of buying power from the power generating companies (gencos).

In this scenario, government subsidies for the discoms are a crucial lifeline. Unfortunately, state governments have not released the promised subsidies. They have not paid their power bills like other consumers in recent months, creating a whopping unpaid backlog of ₹1.4 lakh crore. This was revealed at a recent presentation to a meeting of state chief secretaries. Significantly, the total dues discoms owe to power generation units are about ₹1.2 lakh crore. This means if the state governments release the funds due to the discoms, the latter would, in fact, be in surplus.

The slowdown of commercial and manufacturing activity during Covid only adds to the power distribution companies' woes. Demand for power fell for the first time in 35 years, creating additional losses of ₹16,000 crore per month. The long-term solution is to address this delicate balance between power generators, distribution companies and the consumer. The privatisation of distribution, in many cases, is successful with better technical efficiency and fewer leakages. Delhi, for instance, has reduced its transmission and delivery losses from a stupendous 53% to just 8% after privatisation. In the short-term, though, the bail-outs were announced by the Centre (₹1.35 lakh crore). And monies state governments owe must be speedily released to ensure distribution companies don't make life even more difficult for consumers.

SIGNIFICANCE OF TN'S POWER TARIFF HIKE

The move by the Tamil Nadu government to hike the electricity tariff is remarkable on several counts. Being a politically-sensitive issue, successive governments had avoided revising tariffs, with no revision since 2014. Performing under one umbrella, the power generation and distribution utility has ratcheted up a massive loss of ₹1.13 lakh crore by March 2021, while its debt ballooned to ₹1.54 lakh crore in the absence of annual financial support from past governments. The TN government, struggling to improve revenue resources, has reached a point where mindless funding of the state-run Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Ltd (Tangedco) is no longer an option.

The Central government has meanwhile given an ultimatum to several state-run power companies to undertake immediate reforms. Though the hike looks substantially high, it's barely making up for the loss, primarily because of the ever-increasing transmission and generation costs. Though TN has an impressive array of renewable power plants such as wind and solar, Tangedco heavily depends on thermal power and purchases from private companies to meet the rising demand.

Over the years, the cash-strapped utility has found it difficult to spend on infrastructure works such as substations and transmission lines, the life line of an electricity network, leaving consumers in the lurch. The state has a vast potential for solar power and needs to focus on generation as a long-term strategy. Apart from the tariff revision, the Stalin government is also investing in enhancing the transmission and distribution lines. A consortium of consultants led by EY India is handholding Tangedco to improve its overall performance. Unfortunately, the state that tops the list of wind power production and is a model for others to emulate has a long way to go in terms of overall performance. Consumers will be ready to pay for quality power if it is made available without any interruption. Tamil Nadu needs more electricity to power its dreams of becoming a $1-trillion economy. The state needs to create a conducive environment for companies to erect power plants.

There is a need to question rigid notions about the country's earliest languages and rethink Sanskrit as a rarefied literary culture of little reach or relevance

SANSKRIT & SOCIETY: BEYOND POLITICS OF LANGUAGE - III

SOUMYADIP SINHA

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Contrary to misconceptions in certain circles today associating a narrow obscurantism with Sanskrit, this series is a reminder of the vast and variegated repertoire and reach of this prodigious language. This repertoire has included not only virtually all knowledge systems known to humankind but a multiplicity of voices and visions.

Yet the tendency in modern scholarship has been to label Sanskrit literary culture elitist and insular, having little to do with the wider world. In the previous piece, we interrogated this assumption vis a vis Sanskrit drama (*natya*, a sub-genre of *kavya*), discovering its considerable public interface. Today we extend that enquiry to the question of language use in early India and myths surrounding it.

While intriguingly little is known for sure about speech practice in antiquity, there have nonetheless developed several well-established views about the ideology of languages like Sanskrit. It is believed to have been not a spoken tongue but an esoteric language of learning, "particularly of the brahmin caste and of its religion", as Thomas Burrow put it, while Prakrit is deemed a popular tongue, "the language of the masses". Relatedly, there exists the influential theory among scholars that in the plays and indeed in early Indian society, Sanskrit was spoken only by high status men while lowly characters and women spoke Prakrit. In other words, a linguistic hierarchy is assumed to exist in the way Sanskrit and Prakrit are mutually deployed in literature, and this is believed to correspond to socio-economic hierarchy.

This is such a neat and persuasive interpretation that the fact that there are telling exceptions drops quite from view. The *vidushaka*, for example, the jester and hero's companion, is consciously a brahmana but always speaks in Prakrit. Merchants and courtiers are also required to do so. On the other hand, *parivrajikas* (ascetics) are women but use Sanskrit even though queens usually do not and courtesans may. Children, even when male and high-caste, speak only Prakrit.

In fact the section on languages in the 2nd century *Natyashastra* (NS), the earliest Indian work of dramaturgy, attests other characters and situations that do not conform to the simplistic socio-economic theory. It clarifies the actual grounds for allocating tongues in drama, from characterisation, ethnicity and vocation of protagonists, to regional phonetic peculiarities of audiences, as well as blanket considerations like "special times and situations". Clearly, *kavya's* understanding of language use was a self-conscious one, and so too its choice to be bilingual in the first place, but the logic was not as stock as baldly reflecting social status.

This is reinforced by the fact that Prakrit, or rather the eight Prakrits as they have come down to us, are very much literary, not colloquial, dialects—as cultivated and standardised as Sanskrit. The 8th century *Kavyadarsha*, an influential treatise on *kavya* composition, refers to both as *shishta* (grammatically disciplined/systematised) and regards both as tongues fit for poetic composition, so that no literary privilege is really inherent in one or the other.

The *Kavyadarsha* does describe Sanskrit as *daivi vak* (divine speech) but this seems to have been on account of it being perfected speech... Perfection and precision indeed explain why it is today deemed the ideal choice for computer programming by NASA!
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Some famous *kavyas* in Prakrit are Hala's 2nd century *Gathasattasai*, Pravarasena's 5th century *Setubandha* and the 8th century *Gaudavaho* by Vakapatiraja. Scholars also now suspect that the Prakrits used in the earliest inscriptions, the 3rd century BCE Ashokan edicts, were read aloud by state officials to the populace at large rather than being directly legible by the latter.

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At the same time, the term that ancient grammarians used for Sanskrit, namely, *bhasha* ('that which is spoken'), suggests that its knowledge may have been more commonplace than we imagine, though its correct or eloquent application would have been confined to the learned, as with all languages. We are reminded here of the NS' admonition that a Sanskrit play "should contain no obscure and difficult word and be intelligible to country people."

Moreover, the fact that they were employed in the same play shows that Sanskrit and Prakrit belonged to a common speech community. A mutual intelligibility for the two on the part of the heterogenous audiences—which, as we saw last time, gathered at street crossings and temple courtyards no less than in royal assemblies to watch these performances—must be assumed.

In fact some scholars argue that Sanskrit and Prakrit may have been not different languages as much as different registers of speech in a diglossic situation. The NS does speak of them as the "two ways (*dvividham*) of recitation in the common language which relates to the four castes" (*jatibhashashrayam caturvarnya samashrayam*).

Though this is hardly a comprehensive survey of the matter, it suffices to question rigid notions about India's earliest languages. Seen together, there is clearly a need to not only review the supposed subalternity of Prakrits but rethink Sanskrit as a rarefied language and literary culture of little reach or relevance to society.

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LONG-FORM CONTENT IN THE AGE OF REELS & SHORTS

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I have been creating digital content since 2004, from the time when blogging was a new tool and none of us knew what the future held for it. Many platforms, tools and trends have come and gone in these 18 years. Only a few managed to sustain themselves in the long run. Most bloggers have also transformed into Instagrammers—those good with visuals become YouTubers—who find it easier to shoot than write, and podcasters. We have always been a society that loves to listen rather than read. Then there are micro-blogging platforms like Twitter and Koo that let you say something quickly and even instantly generate a reflexive response.

The latest trend is 15-second videos called 'reels' on Instagram and 'shorts' on YouTube. Both the platforms are actively pushing them. YouTube even has a $100 million special fund for shorts creators. Creativity has no limits, so you can do whatever you want in these short-form videos.

However, when you randomly browse to see what people are posting or trending, you typically see people dancing to popular songs or performing on trending dialogue at their homes, rooftops, gardens, and just about anywhere. Bumping into a shoot during your morning or evening walks is not unusual. Then there are motivational speakers, financial advisors, and astrology consultants trying to tell you one mantra per video as a one-pill solution for all your problems. If you do not like something, swipe and move on to the next video.

Some of us have focused on long-form content through these waves. Yes, we have our presence on all these platforms, but the core of our creative work stays on our blogs. Many questions have come my way of late on the relevance of long-form content.

On a Twitter spaces session on content creation, a digital marketer proclaimed that long-form content is dead as if I am talking about the last century. The logic being the latest myth—attention spans are shrinking; no one wants to see anything more than a few seconds. If you cannot convey your point in 30 seconds, you can forget it. Most of this comes from the marketing and public relations professionals. Remember, these people exist somewhere between the content creators and brands.

Now, when I look at the statistics of my travel blog, I can see that the number of people reading us every month is still in the six digits. They choose to stay on the pages for the few minutes required to read the lengthy articles. They are taking time to comment—it takes two to four minutes for a genuine comment. Even our decade-old articles are still performing well. Clients are still engaging with us for long stories.

Why is the myth of 'long-form content is dead' being propagated? It is because it is easy to create short content and even easier to gather statistics on it, for it has a short shelf life... Statistics of long-form content take time to build and would probably never match the 15-second lifestyle video. Impact, well, that is impossible to compare

We see many long-form content platforms launched with a subscription model where you can read the well-researched, well-articulated articles only as a paid subscriber. They do rich, deep-dive stories that take a lot of time, effort and resources to research and write. There are long-form podcasts that are performing well. Advertising is not a viable model though it continues to be a prime model for most content platforms. Many of these platforms manage to sustain themselves, indicating demand for long-form content.

Long-form content takes time to create, and its impact snowballs—slowly and over a period of time. It is like *Chayawanprash* that you eat in childhood, giving you good health in middle age. Long-form content expects its consumers to invest not just time but also their focused attention. It neither doubts their intelligence nor intends to bring it down. In fact, it wants to add to what they already know, give them additional dimensions to see the same subject and widen their horizon with deep insights.

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Short-form content works for equally short shelf-life situations like the release of a film or an event where you want to influence the audience. Your instantaneous window for execution is short, and decisions can be instant. For most other things, the audience needs to be informed and educated, and they will buy when they need to. I can add a destination to your wish list through my content, but you will travel when your family has the time, budget and priorities. Now, would you remember a destination that you were inspired to visit after a trusted person described it to you or when you saw a beautiful model just posing there? I want to know.

(Tweets @anuradhagoyal)

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Murmu's speech

This is with reference to *President Murmu personifies poor's aspirations* (July 26). She made a statement by wearing the Santhali saree that her sister-in-law brought for her. In her relatively short speech, she mentioned Rani Velu Nachiyar, Rani Gaidinliu and Rani Chennamma. She has kickstarted her term in a very positive manner and hopefully, she will use her term in office to ensure the upliftment of the poor and the downtrodden. But we must also praise former President Ramnath Kovind for the graceful way in which he handed over the baton to his successor.
Hemanth D Pai, Bengaluru

Kallakurichi vandalism

This is with reference to *Vandalised school not fit for use; all furniture has been damaged or stolen* (July 26). Even before ascertaining the real cause for the death of a girl student, the school has been destroyed in such a way that it has become unfit for use. This speaks volumes about the inefficiency of the state's police force. The future of more than 3000 students is in danger. In addition to punishing all the guilty, adequate and suitable compensation should be given to the school to ensure that it continues its functions unhindered.
S Retnaswamy, Chennai

No sir, no madam

Apropos of *No more 'sir', 'madam' at local bodies a success* (July 26). Everyone is equal. Those who are at the government offices ought to serve people and not expect people to serve them. This attempt to eradicate the colonial remnants of 'sir' and 'madam' was a daring initiative. Let us hope this trend will spread to other places too. Change must start at the grassroots level. I appreciate The New Indian Express for covering this story.
Thomas J Philip, Kottayam

Good and bad touch

Apropos of *'Good touch, bad touch' confusing, replace them: Legal body* (July 26). In order to impart proper knowledge about good and bad touch, sex education should be made mandatory in all schools. It will help students to become aware of the basic ways to protect themselves. Otherwise, most children do not know when they face such a dangerous situation.
Pillai, Udalguri

Respecting one's body

There are many problems that school children are currently facing. Parents must collaborate with teachers and the government to teach children how to defend themselves. After all, parents must care about their children's future. Teaching their children about such basic things not only helps children protect themselves but also helps them respect the privacy of their own bodies.
T James, Madurai

Saving our saviours

Apropos of *819 suicides in the three forces in last five years* (July 26). It is upsetting to see our army personnel commit suicide. The same tough formation that helped them combat the enemy from outside was ineffective against the adversary inside. It is important for the concerned ministry to support efforts to save our saviours.
John P Basile, Puducherry

Proud of Hannah

Apropos of *19-year-old overcomes disability, bags full scholarship to study in US* (July 26). Hannah Alice Simon has proved her mettle. Her co-curricular activities helped her get a full scholarship to the university. She is a very good example to all parents that co-curricular activities are as important as marks.
Noel Prabhu A B, Thiruvananthapuram

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Akhilesh Yadav @yadavakhilesh

Bundelkhand Expressway was inaugurated and now its being revealed its nearing completion. I urge the BJP govt to not put the lives of people in danger

President of India @rashtrapatibhvn

With the spirit of welfare of the world, I will always be ready to work with full devotion and dedication to live up to the trust of all of you

Yogendra Yadav @_YogendraYadav

There is flood in Assam, drought in Bihar and UP. For the first time in history England saw heat like North India. Climate change is looming large now.

RISK FOR DOCS IN LINE OF DUTY

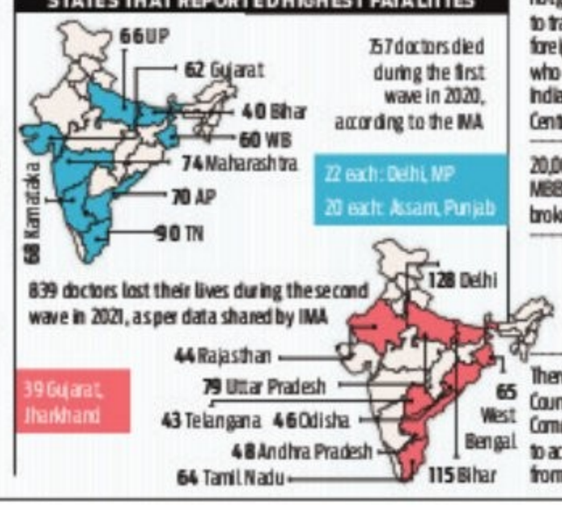
How many doctors in India have succumbed to Covid-19 since its outbreak in 2020? Well, the Central government says it doesn't know. But the Union Health Ministry and the Indian Medical Association (IMA) are clearly at cross-purposes over the issue. The ministry said in the Rajya Sabha on Tuesday that the it did not have the data on the number of doctors who have died across the country due to Covid-19, the IMA, which has more than 3 lakh doctors as members, said more than 1,600 doctors, have succumbed to the infection. IMA national president Dr Sahajanand Prasad Singh told **Kavita Bajeli-Datt** they have prepared an entire list of doctors -- described as Covid warriors and feted by the Centre -- who have died.

Disaggregated data on deaths due to Covid-19 by profession or otherwise is not maintained centrally
- Bharati Pravin Pawar, MoS, Health and Family Welfare

5,25,997
Total deaths due to Covid-19 in the country, as of July 23, including those of doctors and healthcare workers, according to Union Health Ministry

1,600+
No of doctors who have died of Covid-19, according to IMA

STATES THAT REPORTED HIGHEST FATALITIES



757 doctors died during the first wave in 2020, according to the IMA

22 each: Delhi, MP
20 each: Assam, Punjab

839 doctors lost their lives during the second wave in 2021, as per data shared by IMA

39 Gujarat, Jharkhand

FATE OF MEDICAL STUDENTS HANGS IN BALANCE

The National Medical Commission (NMC) has not given any permission to transfer or accommodate any foreign medical students, including those who have returned from Ukraine, in any Indian medical institute or university, the Centre has informed the Rajya Sabha

20,000 Indian students, mostly studying MBBS, returned from Ukraine after the war broke out there

Foreign medical students are either covered under Screening Test Regulations, 2002, or Foreign Medical Graduate Licentiate Regulations, 2021

There are no provisions in the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956, and the National Medical Commission Act, 2019, nor in the Regulations, to accommodate or transfer medical students from foreign institutes to Indian colleges

CENTRE'S BIT FOR COVID WARRIORS

Under Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Package, govt had provided insurance cover of ₹50 lakh to health care providers, including community health workers and private health workers, at risk of Covid infection

INTERVIEW

NEED TO RAISE PEOPLE'S ISSUES: MARGARET ALVA

*OPPOSITION vice-presidential candidate Margaret Alva tells **Shahid Faridi** that it is time to stand up and put up a fight to the BJP. Excerpts:*

The odds are stacked against you in the vice-presidential election with the NDA government having a clear majority in Parliament. What is the message that you want to convey by entering the contest?
I felt the need to raise issues, which are of concern to everyone across party-lines. There are issues like constitutional rights of people, of states. Look at what is happening in Karnataka. What you wear, what you eat, even whom students mix with is questioned, they are beaten.

I was in the Rajya Sabha for 24 years and five years in the Lok Sabha. What's happening today in Parliament? This is not Parliament that we knew. Therefore, the need is for somebody to come forward and say this is not on. Parliament has run for so many years despite differences. They opposed Mrs (Indira) Gandhi, they abused Mrs Gandhi. But Parliament functioned. We debated.

Parliament is not about majoritarianism. It is about discussions and expression of the concerns of people whom the MPs represent. Look at the way farm laws were withdrawn. No debate. 20-22 bills passed in 12 minutes. I am appealing to the conscience of MPs to defend the Constitution.

Opposition parties aren't united in support of your candidature.
They have their own problems. Parties which are openly supporting me are being threatened. NCP is supporting me, but look at Praful Patel. JMM is supporting me, and see what is happening in Jharkhand. Same thing is happening in the South. I know Jagan Reddy is with me. They don't let people function. They've arrested Mamata Banerjee's minister The Delhi CM was telling me they think he would support me so they have started something about his liquor policy. You call it a fair election.

You don't think it's a fair election.
When every political party is threatened, then how can there be a fair election?

Is it the Centre's threat or are there other issues that have kept opposition from backing you?
There may have been some differences. I know nothing about that. I still believe that a consensus will be worked out before August 6 when the election will take place.

Who all do you expect to support you?
Talks are on. Many MPs, even in NDA, have concerns about what's happening. I have a rapport with many.

Was that the reason why your phone got redirected?
My phone went dead. Then all my calls were directed to somewhere else. The MTNL chairman had to intervene and restore it. It is strange that only my phone should have technical issues after I had spoken to chief ministers, parties and MPs. Suddenly, it went dead. Why do you get frightened by my talking to people?

What do you think about your opponent?
Everybody knows about him. He has been a governor like me, a lawyer like me, he has been in Parliament like me. He has started his political career in Congress like me. I think he has changed four-five parties. But the most important is he spent three years fighting a lady in Bengal, and the poor man comes to Delhi to fight an election and is faced by another woman.

SERIOUS ISSUE

SC seeks govt stand on poll freebies by parties

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Tuesday sought to know from the Central government whether political parties could be prevented from promising and distributing 'irrational freebies' during election campaigns.

A bench of Chief Justice of India NV Ramana and Justices Krishna Murari and Hima Kohli also asked the Centre to check whether the suggestions of the Finance Commission could be sought for a solution.

During the hearing, the CJI sought the opinion of senior advocate and Rajya Sabha MP Kapil Sibal, who was present in court for some other matter, on the issue.

Sibal said it was a serious issue but difficult to tackle politically. "The Finance Commission, when it does allocations to various states, can take into account the debt of the state and the quantum of freebies. Finance commission is the appropriate authority to deal with it. Maybe we can invite the commission to look into this aspect. The Centre cannot be expected to issue directions," Sibal submitted.

The bench then asked Additional Solicitor General K M Nataraj to seek the Commission's view on Sibal's suggestions and posted the matter for further hearing on August 3.

PMLA, FEMA stings sharper under NDA

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE Centre on Tuesday patted itself on the back for conducting more raids and searches on alleged violators of the 2002 Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA) and the 1999 Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA) than was done by the Congress-led UPA dispensation.

"During the first nine years of administration of PMLA (FY2004-05 to FY2013-14), small number of searches (112) were carried out", resulting in "attachment of proceeds of crime of ₹5,346.16 crore and filing of 104 prosecution complaints". During the same period, trial courts neither convicted any person accused of money laundering nor confiscated any property under PMLA, the Finance Ministry said in response to a question in the Rajya Sabha.

In contrast, between FY2014-15 and FY2021-22, "in order to dispose of pending investigations in old cases and to complete investigation in new cases in time (a) time-bound manner under PMLA, 3,010 searches were conducted during the last eight years".

This, according to the Finance Ministry, "resulted in attachment of proceeds of crime worth ₹99,356 crore, filing of 888 cases and conviction of 23 persons/entities", besides "confiscation of proceeds of crime to the tune of ₹869.31 crore".

Giving its rationale behind the spike in the number of searches by the Enforcement Directorate (ED), the government said this showed its "commitment to prevent money laundering and improved systems for gathering financial intelligence through use of technology, better inter-agency cooperation and exchange of information both domestically and internationally".

Between FY2004-05 and FY2013-14, 571 searches were conducted and 8,586 cases were taken up for investigation under FEMA, resulting in issuance of show cause notices in 2,780 cases and adjudication of 1,312 show cause notices, which led to imposition of penalty of ₹1,754.33 crore. At the same time, assets to the tune of about ₹14 crore were seized under FEMA, the government said.

Citing figures, the Finance Ministry claimed that between FY2014-15 and FY2021-22, the ED, using FEMA as a weapon, conducted 996 searches and took up 22,330 cases for probe. This resulted in the issuance of show cause notices in 5,329 cases and adjudication of 5,160 show cause notices, "imposing penalty of ₹6,376.51 crore". Also, assets to the tune of ₹7,066 crore were seized under FEMA.

The Ministry said till March this year, 992 complaints were filed in trial courts under PMLA convicting 23 accused while only one accused was discharged.

Congress leaders protest against suspension of its MPs for the session near Mahatma Gandhi statue in Parliament House complex on Tuesday| SHEKHAR YADAV

1,811 NGOs lost FCRA licences

The government has cancelled the FCRA licences of 1,811 NGOs for violation of provisions of the law in the last three years (2019-2021), according to Minister of State for Home Nityanand Rai. Replying to a question in Parliament on Tuesday, he said that FCRA licence renewal applications of 783 NGOs were rejected by the government. The state-wise list given by the government shows that Tamil Nadu tops the list with 218 cancellations, followed by Maharashtra with 206. While 193 organisations in West Bengal lost their licence, Andhra Pradesh has 168 cancellations.

2K Bangladeshis intercepted in 5 yrs

Even as the Centre and the Assam government continue to be seized of the issue of illegal immigration along India's eastern borders, 2,399 Bangladeshi nationals were "intercepted and found using fraudulently obtained Indian documents" in last five years between 2017 and 2022, Minister of State for Home Nityanand Rai told the Lok Sabha. The MHA said that state governments "have also been advised to share the particulars of those illegal migrants who have wrongfully obtained Aadhaar cards with UIDAI for appropriate legal action".

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

India to back Sri Lanka, PM Modi writes to Ranil

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi has sent a congratulatory letter to Sri Lankan President Ranil Wickremesinghe after the latter got elected as the 8th President of the island nation.

"You have assumed the high office at a crucial time for Sri Lanka. I hope your tenure will nurture economic stabilisation as well as fulfil the aspirations of all citizens of Sri Lanka," the PM said in his letter. "As a close friend and neighbour of Sri Lanka, India will continue to be supportive of the quest of the people of Sri Lanka for stability and economic recovery, through established democratic means, institutions and constitutional framework." Modi said he would look forward to working closely with Ranil for the mutual benefit and further strengthening the friendly relations between the two nations.

Meanwhile, India's high commissioner to Sri Lanka Gopal Baglay on Tuesday handed over an humanitarian aid worth more than Sri Lankan 3.4 billion ($9.4 million), donated by the Tamil Nadu government and met PM Dinesh Gunawardena as part of the India's outreach to the new leadership in Colombo.

During his meet with Gunawardena, Baglay conveyed the greetings from the leadership, government and people of India and thanked the premier for his guidance in various capacities to strengthen long-standing and close bilateral relations in all areas of engagement.

Baglay also thanked Gunawardena for his appreciation for India's "unprecedented support to the people of Sri Lanka", the Indian high commission tweeted.

India slams China, Pak bid to include 3rd nation in CPEC

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

INDIA on Tuesday debunked a bid by China and Pakistan to include third countries in the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC), saying it passes through illegally occupied Indian territory and that such a move is unacceptable.

India's response came after a meeting on the CPEC project took place on July 21 wherein Pakistan and China sought the participation of "interested third parties" in mutually beneficial cooperation opened up by the economic corridor, a key part of which passes through Pakistan-Occupied Kashmir (PoK).

"India has seen reports on the two countries encouraging the proposed participation of third countries in so-called CPEC projects. Any such actions by any party directly infringe on India's sovereignty and territorial integrity," according to Ministry of External Affairs spokesperson Arindam Bagchi.

India has opposed CPEC, which includes a network of highways, rail links, power plants, manufacturing units and massive infrastructure projects launched in 2013, on the ground that projects are being built in illegally occupied Indian territory.

"India firmly and consistently opposes projects in the so-called CPEC, which are in Indian territory that has been illegally occupied by Pakistan. Such activities are inherently illegal, illegitimate and unacceptable, and will be treated accordingly by India," he added.

CPEC was launched as a flagship venture under Chinese President Xi Jinping's Belt and Road Initiative.

Defence panel clears proposals worth ₹28,732 cr

MAYANK SINGH @New Delhi

The Defence Acquisition Council on Tuesday cleared an important first step for buying military equipment and weapons worth ₹28,732 crore, by accepting they were necessary for force. The proposals include procuring swarm drones, bulletproof jackets and carbines under the indigenously designed, developed and manufactured scheme to promote self-reliance.

The council's meeting was chaired by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh. The approvals are expected to provide impetus to the domestic small arms manufacturing industry. They also came amid stand-off with the China along the Line of Actual Control in Ladakh.

Bulletproof jackets with Indian Standard BIS VI level of protection were put on the procurement list "considering the demand of enhanced protection against the threat of enemy snipers for our troops deployed along the Line of Control, and in close combat operations in counter-terrorism scenario," the defence ministry said.

Also on the buy list are about 4 lakh close quarter battle carbines for the services for conventional and hybrid warfare and counter-terrorism at the borders.

Since drones were a force multiplier in military operations in recent conflicts across the world, the council approved the procurement of autonomous surveillance and armed drone swarms.

A proposal to procure 14 fast patrol vessels for the Indian Coast Guard with 60% Indian content, too, has been cleared. The council also approved the Navy's proposal to procure an upgraded 1,250 KW marine gas turbine generator for power generation onboard Kolkata class of ships.

Also among the approved proposals are guided extended range rocket ammunition, area denial munition Type I and infantry combat vehicle — command, which have been designed and developed by DRDO. The total value of these three proposals is ₹8,599 crore.

The extended range rocket ammo has a range of 75 km with accuracy of 40 metres. The Type I ammo contains dual purpose sub munitions capable of neutralising tanks and armoured personnel carriers

GIR SANCTUARY

No abode for Asiatic lions outside Gujarat?

RICHA SHARMA @New Delhi

IT seems the Asiatic Lions will not have a second abode outside Gujarat? While the Supreme Court had in 2013 had directed the Centre to shifting Asiatic Lions, found only in Gir, Gujarat, to a suitable place outside the state to avoid mass extinction due to an epidemic, the Centre is working to move the big cats to newly identified sites within the state only. The reason, apparently, is Gujarat's reluctance to share the animal with other states.

The Gir forest is the only abode of Asiatic Lions in the world. According to the 2020 Census, the lion population there had registered an increase of 25% in the last five years and now stood at 674. However, the growing population of lions in the state has become a cause of concern and the authorities realise the growing challenges of habitat protection.

According to Union Ministry of Environment and Forests, a committee was constituted with a view to assess the suitability of habitat for lions in potential sites in Gujarat and make recommendations regarding the facilitation of natural dispersal of lions and the modalities for the establishment of the lion population in newly identified sites in the State of Gujarat.

"The ministry is providing financial assistance to the State of Gujarat for lion conservation activities including habitat improvement, water management, grassland development, and prey augmentation. These activities will also facilitate the natural dispersal of lions beyond the Gir landscape," the ministry told the Lok Sabha. However, it skipped answering if it plans to shift Asiatic Lion to other states.

A ministry official said Gujarat has clarified it's not willing to move the big cats to any other states "lions being the pride of the state".

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SAVE WILDLIFE

A BJP MP has demanded that the section of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, that allows killing of animals for religious needs be removed and sacrifice of animals be mandated only at licensed slaughterhouses

5 MORE INDIAN SITES ADDED IN THE RAMSAR LIST

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	33	28	Mumbai	30	26
Bhopal	28	23	Panaji	29	26
Jaipur	30	25	Patna	33	28
Amritsar	31	26	Lucknow	32	27
Chennai	31	26	Port Blair	31	25
Kolkata	34	27	Imphal	28	20
Srinagar	28	20	Chandigarh	33	27

Congress leader Jignesh Mevani meets kin of the deceased in Botad on Tuesday | PTI

Politics over tragedy

The hooch tragedy in the 'dry state" has come as a major embarrassment to police and the ruling BJP. AAP's Arvind Kejriwal said, "The question is if Gujarat is a dry state, how is alcohol being sold openly? Who is benefitting?" He visited Bhavnagar government hospital and met families of the victims. Congress leaders also met the kin of the deceased at Rojid village of Botad. Gujarat Congress working president and MLA from Vadgam, Jignesh Mevani said, "In the land of Gandhi and Sardar, this is what we find."

Gujarat hooch death toll reaches 32; 78 in hospital

Government forms committee to probe matter; report in three days

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA
@ Ahmedabad

THE death toll due to consumption of spurious liquor in Gujarat went up to 32 on Tuesday, police said, adding that at least 78 people are being treated at Bhavnagar and Ahmedabad Civil Hospitals.

The incident came to light on Monday after people from Rojid village fell ill after allegedly consuming spurious liquor.

"There are 24 people who have died in Botad district and 56 people are being treated at hospital. We have arrested several accused involved in supplying spurious liquor and two FIRs are lodged," Bhavnagar IG Ashok Yadav said.

At least six people of Dhandhuka taluka have died, while 12 are admitted to Ahmedabad Civil Hospital. The death toll is likely to go up, police said.

The state government on Tuesday formed a committee to probe the tragedy. Gujarat Minister of State for Home, Harsh Sanghvi said, "Subhash Trivedi, IG (CID-crime), will head the committee, which will give its report within three days."

At a press conference in Gandhinagar, Ashish Bhatia, DGP, said, "The kingpin is Jayesh Khavadia, who works with a firm dealing in methyl alcohol. He had stolen 600 litres and sold it to his cousins Vinod and Sanjay Bhikhabhai for ₹40,000."

"A bootlegger, identified as Vipul Kavadiya, who had brought the alcohol from Vinod, also died after drinking illicit liquor," he added.

Punjab to get 5th AG in 10 months as Sidhu resigns

HARPREET BAJWA @Chandigarh

PUNJAB Advocate General (AG) Anmol Rattan Sidhu has resigned from his post citing personal reasons. He remained in office for just four months. In the last 10 months, the state is now set to have its fifth AG. Senior advocate Vinod Ghai is likely to be appointed as the next AG.

Sidhu was appointed on the post when the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) government came into power in the state in March this year. In his resignation letter dated July 19, written to Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann, Sidhu has written, "I am really thankful to the party for giving me a chance to represent the office of Advocate General, Punjab. Due to my personal reasons, I won't be able to serve this prestigious office, therefore, I hereby tender my resignation which may be kindly be accepted at the earliest."

Sources say there were differences between Sidhu and the government over appointment of law officers. Mann has apparently cleared the name of Ghai as new Punjab AG. The file has been sent to Punjab Governor Banwarilal Purohit for formal approval, according to sources. Ghai, who earned his LLB degree from Panjab University in 1989, was designated as a senior advocate in May 2012.

Anmol Rattan Sidhu

Vinod Ghai likely to be new AG

Sources say there were differences between Sidhu and the government over appointment of law officers. Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann is said to have cleared the name of senior advocate Vinod Ghai as the new Punjab AG

Mann said Sidhu resigned from the post due to personal reasons. "I had requested him to continue if he could, but he expressed his inability due to personal reasons," the chief minister said.

Sidhu expressed satisfaction with his team's performance over the last four months. Replying to a question on the handling of several cases, including those related to the 2015 sacrilege incidents and against gangster Lawrence Bishnoi, Sidhu said he and his team performed with full sincerity, and added that the state government had also praised their efforts.

Sidhu took the post after senior advocate Deepinder Singh Patwalia, who was appointed as the Advocate General of Punjab on Nov. 19, 2021 by the then Charanjit Singh Channi government, resigned in March, a day after the Congress was routed out of power by the Aam Aadmi Party in the Assembly elections. Patwalia had earlier replaced senior advocate APS Deol who had resigned due to opposition from within the Congress. Deol was also appointed by the Channi government after senior advocate and Supreme Court lawyer Atul Nanda resigned days after Capt Amarinder Singh stepped down as the chief minister in September last year.

JAIPUR DIARY

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Transfers trigger minister-MLA tiff

The unofficial transfer season has arrived, which means MLAs are knocking on the doors of ministers to get their chosen bureaucrats transfered. Ruling Congress MLAs have stepped up their pressure tactics for transfers. With election due next year, failure in realising the MLAs' desires this year may lead to moments of fallout. In one such tiff, an angry MLA recently went to a minister's chamber and reprimanded him. Many said the clash reached a point of physical grappling. Later, the MLA took the matter to CM Ashok Gehlot and got his way. Post the revolt of Sachin Pilot, it is said that Congress MLAs have become more powerful than even the ministers.

Son's larger than life retirement gift to mom

Teacher-mom Vimala Devi from Ghassu village of Laxmangarh had her retirement day celebrated in a never-seen-before fashion, thanks to her son. On Guru Purnima, the engineer son, Arvind, hired a helicopter from Delhi for his mom who retired as a government teacher. His father and sister tagged along. During the flight, flowers were rained from the helicopter over the whole village where the mother served. The son even gifted a plot on the Moon and Mars to his mom, besides a luxury car. An emotional Vimala said, "Helicopter ride, a Thar SUV, land on the Mars and Moon have all surprised me. Today I am happy that the sanskars I gave my son are coming back to amaze me."

'Physical, mental torture': Ragging issue hits Indore medical college

ANURAAG SINGH @Bhopal

THE police in Madhya Pradesh's Indore registered a case on Sunday under IPC sections dealing with obscene acts and criminal intimidation, besides provisions under the Anti-Ragging Act 2009, against senior MBBS students of MGM Medical College on a complaint by the college administration.

Fearing reprisal by seniors, the juniors had made an anonymous complaint to UGC's Anti Ragging Helpline. The complaint was accompanied by audio-visual evidence, including WhatsApp chats. According to the complaint, the junior students were confined to a flat, and their mobile phones were snatched from them. They were forced to do sit-ups, slap each other so hard that the sound is loud and clear, made to perform sex acts with a pillow or with batchmates, and compelled to make abusive comments about female batchmates.

"The matter was reported to the police on Sunday," said college dean Dr Sanjay Dixit.

"We're recording students' statements. We'll identify the accused and locate the flat where the ragging took place," said Sanyogitaganj police station in-charge Tehzeeb Qazi.

As per the complaint, the juniors were tortured inside a house located near the college campus for up to five hours per visit. They were warned by the seniors against reporting the matter to the authorities otherwise "their five years in the college would be ruined."

The juniors said instead of helping them, some professors supported ragging. "There have been incidents when the professors have said ragging is necessary for personality development," the complaint said.

Tortured for 5 hrs per visit to flat near campus

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JHARKHAND

Political uncertainty looms as JMM, BJP claim defection

MUKESH RANJAN @Ranchi

AMID claims and counter-claims by the ruling JMM and opposition BJP about large-scale defection of legislators, political uncertainty is looming over Jharkhand.

The BJP claims that 21 JMM MLAs are in touch. However, the JMM has declared that 16 BJP MLAs are willing to join it. In the 81-member Assembly, the JMM along with the Congress has 46 MLAs. The BJP has 25 legislators.

The fluid situation is due to the legal trouble being faced by CM Hemant Soren and his associates, both in the Jharkhand High Court and the Election Commission of India, over charges of corruption and misuse of power.

The BJP has already appealed to the EC to disqualify Soren for the alleged irregularities in granting mining leases and also on transactions of some shell companies allegedly operated by his family members and associates.

The cross-voting in the Presidential polls by more than half of the Congress MLAs in favour of NDA's Droupadi Murmu has added to the flux. Post Presidential polls, the Congress is jittered by fears of BJP's 'Operation Lotus.' Congress sources say the leadership is keeping an eye on "suspected MLAs."

BJP's legislature party leader Babulal Marandi, however, has rejected speculation.

"Everybody knows the JMM. Since power lies in the wrong hands, there has been all-round loot. The JMM is nothing but a sinking ship which nobody would like to board," said Marandi.

State Congress chief Rajesh Thakur says his party MLAs are united and there is no danger to the Jharkhand government. "Such questions are asked again and again because BJP keeps spreading such rumors," said Thakur.

ED SUMMONS SOREN'S PRESS ADVISOR

The ED on Tuesday summoned CM Hemant Soren's press advisor Abhishek Prasad alias Pintu for interrogation in the illegal mining scam case. Prasad's name came up during the interrogation of Soren's representative Pankaj Mishra, who was arrested on July 19. Prasad is said to be associated with Soren for several years. ED sources said he has been asked to appear before it on Aug. 1.

Lakhimpur Kheri: HC denies bail to Ashish Mishra

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

THE Lucknow Bench of Allahabad High Court on Tuesday rejected the bail plea of Ashish Mishra alias Monu, the key accused in Lakhimpur Kheri violence case and son of Union Minister of State for Home, Ajay Mishra 'Teni'.

Dismissing the bail plea, the single bench of Justice Krishna Pahal said the accused could not be granted bail as he was politically so influential that he would influence witnesses and affect the trial if granted bail.

Earlier, the Bench had reserved its order on Mishra's bail plea on July 15.

Justice Pahal also made an observation over media's role in the incident, saying that of late, media was seen overstepping the sanctity of judiciary in high-profile criminal cases as was evident in Jessica Lal, Indrani Mukherjee and Aarushi Talwar cases.

Reading out the order, Justice Pahal said: "The presence of the three vehicles at the spot from one of which the applicant (Ashish Mishra) was seen coming out is a crucial circumstance weighing against him."

The bench expressed concern on the incident saying that if both the sides (the applicant and the victim) had observed a bit of restraint, eight human lives would not have been lost.

They want to finish Shiv Sena: Uddhav hits out at Shinde

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI
@Mumbai

SHIV Sena chief Uddhav Thackeray has bemoaned the party rebels plotting against him at a time when he had been laid up for a spinal surgery and couldn't move his limbs.

In an interview with the party mouthpiece Saamna on Tuesday, Uddhav hit out at CM Eknath Shinde and his supporter MLAs for their "greed for power" even after Shinde got number two position in the MVA government and the party.

"He (Eknath Shinde) is the chief minister of Maharashtra. Now he wants to gobble up his mother party – Shiv Sena. This is demon-like greediness that no one can satisfy," Uddhav said.

"He wants to be the Shiv Sena president. Even if we had given him the CM's post, he would not have stopped there. Sena has faced many revolts, but no one tried and succeeded to finish the mother party. But now they want to finish Shiv Sena with the BJP's help," said Uddhav.

"I will not blame him or these rebel MLAs. It is my fault that I trusted them blindly. Imagine, they conspired against me when I was in hospital," said Uddhav.

The ex-CM said the rebel faction wants to "steal his Shiv Sena and Balasaheb Thackeray's legacy as well".

"If they claim they are right by breaking Shiv Sena, then let's face elections, let's go to public court where their decision will be final. If people reject us, then we are ready to sit at home," Uddhav said.

SC to hear Uddhav group's plea against EC proceedings on Aug. 1

New Delhi: The Supreme Court on Tuesday fixed Aug. 1 as the date for hearing a fresh plea by the Uddhav Thackeray-led faction against Election Commission proceedings on a petition by Eknath Shinde-led group for recognition as the real Shiv Sena. Kapil Sibal, appearing for the Thackeray group, urged the bench comprising Chief Justice N V Ramana, and Justices Krishna Murari and Hima Kohli that the proceeding before EC need to be stayed as it would impact the hearing in the case before the SC. The top court said it would tag the fresh plea with pending ones and hear it together.

State's dedicated film tourism policy unveiled

Besides being a top tourist destination, Rajasthan is a favoured location for filmmakers – both Indian and international. To boost film production, the state unveiled a film tourism policy at the recent Rajasthan Tourism Domestic Travel Mart in Jaipur. State principal secretary for tourism Gayatri Rathore said the government now offers subsidies and incentives in a policy adopted to attract filmmakers – which will also provide greater momentum for tourism. Addressing stakeholders, she said, "Films are an effective way of promoting tourist destinations as locales in films generate huge interest." The state government also plans to set up a film institute.

TMC minister connected to more irregularities in school recruitment: ED

PRANAB MONDAL @Kolkata

EVIDENCE has emerged about the involvement of Partha Chatterjee in more than one school recruitment scam, the Enforcement Directorate (ED) said on Tuesday, the first day of the Trinamool Congress minister's interrogation in the central agency's custody.

The ED said it has recovered incriminating documents from Chatterjee's south Kolkata residence during searches which indicate the former education minister's involvement in the recruitment of teachers in primary school through Teacher Eligibility Test (TET), other than the alleged scam in recruitment of teachers and group D staff through the School Service Commission (SSC) in high schools.

"We found admit cards of candidates and results of applicants from Chatterjee's residence," said an ED official. Sources said a copy of revised results of TET exam, 2012, was found at his house. "We have evidence to prove the revised results were prepared on the basis of recommendations and in exchange of money," said an official.

'Scam in primary school posts too'

ED said it has recovered papers from Partha Chatterjee's house that indicate his involvement in recruitment of teachers in primary school, besides the alleged scam in recruitment through SSC in high schools

The ED also found a letterhead of TMC's former Moynaguri MLA, Anantadeb Adhikari, in which names of five aspirants for jobs in schools were recommended. Adhikari admitted that he had recommended the names. "In 2016, during Chatterjee's tenure as education minister, all MLAs in districts were asked to recommend names and that's why I did it," he said.

Among the items seized from Chatterjee's house, ED has mentioned many properties in the name of Arpita Mukherjee, an aide of the leader, and firms suspected to be shell companies.

Chatterjee, who underwent a medical examination at AIIMS, Bhubaneswar was brought to Kolkata after doctors found his health parameters normal.

JKCA SCAM

ED files chargesheet against Farooq

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE Enforcement Directorate has charged Farooq Abdullah, the former chief minister of the erstwhile state of Jammu and Kashmir, and others for financial irregularities in the Jammu and Kashmir Cricket Association. The agency has filed a supplementary chargesheet under the provisions of Prevention of Money Laundering Act, before the court in Srinagar.

The chargesheet was filed against Abdullah, Ahsan Ahmad Mirza, Mir Manzoor Gazanffer and others.

The court has issued notices to the accused for appearance before the PMLA Special Court on Aug. 27.

The supplementary chargesheet was preceded by three provisional attachment orders where movable as well as immovable assets to the extent of ₹21.55 crore belonging to the accused were attached.

Meghalaya 'brothel' case: BJP leader arrested in UP

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

MEGHALAYA BJP vice president Bernard Marak was arrested in Uttar Pradesh's Hapur by the state police on Tuesday.

He was wanted by Meghalaya Police for allegedly running a prostitution racket from his farmhouse at Tura in West Garo Hills district. The court of Chief Judicial Magistrate (CJM), Tura, had on Monday issued a non-bailable arrest warrant against him.

"He was travelling in a taxi when arrested," Meghalaya DGP LR Bishnoi said.

West Garo Hills Superintendent of Police Vivekanand Singh told this newspaper that the arrest was made at around 7:15 pm.

"We are sending a team to UP to bring him back. We will produce him before the CJM court as ordered by it," Singh said, adding, "We will seek his custody." Earlier, the Meghalaya Police had sought Delhi Police help after learning that Marak was in the area. The police had tracked his mobile phone, which was switched on intermittently.

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DEMAND NOTICE

A notice is hereby given that the following **Borrower/s Mrs. Swarnashree K** have defaulted in the repayment of Principal and Interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Asset (NPA). The notices issued to them under Section 13(2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but those have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name of the Borrower & Address Housing Term Loan A/c No: 37693680728	Details of Properties/address of Secured assets to be enforced	Date of Notice	Outstanding Amount & Date of NPA
1) **Mrs. Swarnashree K,** #1244, Rishi Nilaya, 2nd cross, Behind BMSET Hostel, Ashok Nagar, Bangalore - 560050. 2) **Office Address: Mrs. Swarnashree K,** Senior Associates, Green Technologies Pvt Ltd, 327-328, 5th Main, 6th Sector, Service Road, HSR Layout, Bangalore 560102 3) **Property Address: Mrs. Swarnashree K,** "Sigma Serenity" Apartment, Flat C-002, Ground floor, Block- C, Indlabele Village, Anekal Taluk, Attibele Sarjapur Road, Bengaluru Urban District- 562107.	**PART II (Immovable Securities) : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY** : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing New Sy. No. 223, (Old Sy. No.173), of the converted land to an total extent of 2 Acres, vide Conversion Order No ALN (A) (A) SR/107/2010-11 dated 17.03.2010, situated at Indlabele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and **Bounded on the:** East by : Sarjapura Main Road; West by : Sy No.173; North by : Sy. Nos.180 and 181; South by : Sai Layout. **SCHEDULE - 'B' PROPERTY: 372** sq.ft Undivided Share , right, title and interest in the Schedule "A" property. **SCHEDULE-'C PROPERTY** : A Two bedrooms apartment bearing **No C-002, of C block**, now bearing Bidaraguppe Gramapanchayath e-Kattha No. **1502001002003370555, flat No. 248/ C-002, on the Ground floor** of the Building known as **"SIGMA SERENITY"** constructed in the Schedule- 'A' property, having a super **built-up area of 1007 square feet** (Which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and proportionate share in common areas and a share in the club house area) together with one covered car parking space in the basement.	06.07.2022	Aggregate Dues as on **30.06.2022 Rs.52,20,336/-** with further interest and incidental expenses, costs from 01.07.2022 **Date of NPA: 20.06.2019**

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower (s) and / or their guarantor (s) (whenever applicable) are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of Publication of this Notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of **60 days** from the date of this notice under Sub-Section (4) of section 13 of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Place : Chennai **Authorised Officer / SBI ARMB Chennai**

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DEMAND NOTICE

A notice is hereby given that the following **Borrower/s Mr. Vinay G, S/o Gopalkrishna** have defaulted in the repayment of Principal and Interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Asset (NPA). The notices issued to them under Section 13(2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but those have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name of the Borrower & Address Housing Term Loan A/c No: 37707212228	Details of Properties/address of Secured assets to be enforced	Date of Notice	Outstanding Amount & Date of NPA
1) **Mr. Vinay G, S/o Gopalkrishna,** #2/A, 10th Main, 17th Cross, FF Colony, Laggere, Near Ganesha Temple, Bengaluru - 560058. 2) **Mr. Vinay G, S/o Gopalkrishna,** # 325, Ward No.2, Gayathri Street, Near Ideal Offset Printers, Mandya, Karnataka – 571401. 3) **Office Address: Mr. Vinay G,** State Business Head (Bangalore) Sales Department, FASDERMA INDIA PVT LTD, #1035/36, Building #10, Kohinoor City Phase- I, Kurla West, Mumbai- 70. 4) **Property Address: Mr. Vinay G, S/o Gopalkrishna,** Flat No A-010, A Block, Ground floor, "Sigma Serenity" Apartment, Indlabele Village, Anekal Taluk, Attibele Sarjapur Road, Bengaluru Urban District- 562107.	**PART II (Immovable Securities) : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY** : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing New Sy. No. 223, (Old Sy. No.173), of the converted land to an total extent of 2 Acres, vide Conversion Order No ALN (A) (A) SR/107/2010-11 dated 17.03.2010, situated at Indlabele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and **Bounded on the:** East by : Sarjapura Main Road; West by : Sy No.173; North by : Sy. Nos.180 and 181; South by : Sai Layout. **SCHEDULE - 'B' PROPERTY: 393** sq.ft Undivided Share , right, title and interest in the Schedule "A" property. **SCHEDULE-'C PROPERTY:** A Two bedrooms **apartment bearing No A-010, of A block**, now bearing Bidaraguppe Gramapanchayath e-Kattha No. **1502001002003370564, flat No. 248/ A-010 on the Ground floor** of the Building known as **"SIGMA SERENITY"** constructed in the Schedule- 'A' property, having a super **built-up area of 1066 square Feet** (Which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and proportionate share in common areas and a share in the club house area) together with one covered car parking space in the basement and bounded on East by : A-008 West by : A-012, North by : open space, South by : A-009.	06.07.2022	Aggregate Dues as on **05.07.2022 Rs.56,01,186/-** with further interest and incidental expenses, costs from 06.07.2022 **Date of NPA: 17.07.2019**

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Place : Chennai **Authorised Officer / SBI ARMB Chennai**

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A notice is hereby given that the following **Borrower/s Mr. Manoj Yadav.S.R S/o Mr. Reddappa** have defaulted in the repayment of Principal and Interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Asset (NPA). The notices issued to them under Section 13(2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but those have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name of the Borrower & Address Housing Term Loan A/c No.37656716526	Details of Properties/address of Secured assets to be enforced	Date of Notice	Outstanding Amount & Date of NPA
1) **Mr. Manoj Yadav S R, S/o Mr. Reddapa,** #22, Siri building, Gottigere layout, R R Nagar, opp. to Prashanthi Clinic, Bangalore – 560098. 2) **Mr. Manoj Yadav S R,** #1368, Ward No.8, Hanumana Palya, Srinivaspura Taluk, Kolar, Karnataka-563135. 3) **Office Address: Mr. Manoj Yadav S R,** Coordinator corrigilance, Great West Global Business Services, Embassy Tech SEZ, 1st Floor, Block 2A Building West Tower, Sarjapur outer Ring Road, Deverabeesanahalli, Bengaluru-560037. 4) **Property Address: Mr. Manoj Yadav S R,** "Sigma Serenity" Apartment, Flat A- 118, First floor, Block- A, New Sy. No. 223, Katha No. 3081/248, Attibele-Sarjapur main Road, Indlabele Village, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District- 562107.	**PART II (Immovable Securities) : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY** : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing New Sy. No. 223, (Old Sy. No.173), of the converted land to an total extent of 2 Acres, vide Conversion Order No ALN (A) (A) SR/107/2010-11 dated 17.03.2010, situated at Indlabele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and bounded on the: East by : Sarjapura Main Road; West by : Sy No.173; North by : Sy. Nos.180 and 181; South by : Sai Layout **SCHEDULE - 'B' PROPERTY: 393** sq.ft Undivided Share , right, title and interest in the Schedule "A" property **SCHEDULE-'C PROPERTY:** A Two bedrooms **apartment bearing No A-118, of A block**, now bearing Bidaraguppe Gramapanchayath e-Kattha No. **1502001002003370721, flat No. 248/ A-118 on the** First Floor of the Building known as **"SIGMA SERENITY"** constructed in the Schedule- 'A' property, having a super **built-up area of 1066 square Feet** (Which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and proportionate share in common areas and a share in the club house area) together with one covered car parking space in the basement and bounded on East by : A-008 West by : A-012, North by : open space, South by : A-009.	06.07.2022	Aggregate Dues as on **30.06.2022 Rs.55,94,422/-** with further interest and incidental expenses, costs from 01.07.2022 **Date of NPA: 25.07.2019**

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower (s) and / or their guarantor (s) (whenever applicable) are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of Publication of this Notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of **60 days** from the date of this notice under Sub-Section (4) of section 13 of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Place : Chennai **Authorised Officer / SBI ARMB Chennai**

STATE BANK OF INDIA

POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 for Immovable Property

A/c No. 32705617724/32705617724/SME/T29892

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India under Sec. 13(12) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice dated 18.05.2022 (the "Act") to the said Accounts under the Borrower Shri. Pandurangaiah H.N (Dec. Late Venkatramappa) No. 03, Ranganathan Nilaya 5th Cross, Venugopal Layout, Nallurahalli, Whitefield, Bangalore-560066 and Smt. (2) Mrs. Ashwini Co-operative Bank Ltd., No. 37, 1st Cross, Vijaya Bank Colony, ETA Layout, 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560076, and the Guarantor (2) Smt. Bhagyalakshmi H.N, No. 03, Ranganatha Nilaya, 5th Cross, Vidyapeeth Layout, Nallurahalli 1st Stage, Bangalore-560066 and (3) Mrs. Latha Channakesh Hardekoppa, Saraswathi Nilaya, Bangalore-560066, to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being the amount Rs. 8,84,480/- (Rupees Eight Lakh Eighty Four Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty only) as on 17.05.2022 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s in particular and the Public in General is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of State Bank of India, RACPC, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560079 for an amount of Rs. 8,84,480/- (Rupees Eight Lakh Eighty Four Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty only) as on 17.05.2022 with, interest & expenses thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s is invited attention to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s is/are hereby informed that the Bank is entitled to exercise all or any of the rights under Section 13(4) of the Act including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising the secured asset.

The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s in particular and the Public in General is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of State Bank of India.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY MORTGAGED

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.67 Khata No. 09/1/67 situated at Mavagal Layout, Ward No. 09 of the Bangalore City Municipal Council, and Sub-District Yelahanka, Bangalore North Taluk, Bounded on the North by Site No. 68, South by Site No. 66, East by Site No. 142 of Nagarachetty Lagga Venkatarayappa Kolla, Bangalore North Taluk, Bounded on the West by 40 ft. wide Road, Site admeasuring East to West 30ft. and North to South 40ft. Total 1200 sft. more or less, 1200 Square Feet, G+1 Ground Floor Residential Building and Bounded on the boundaries on the: East by: Site No. 66, West by: Site No. 68, North by: Site No. 69, South by: Road.

Date: 26.07.2022 Sd/-
Place: Bangalore Chief Manager and Authorised Officer

Dodballapur Branch

P.B.No. 1, Bank Bhavan Road, Doddaballapur 561203 Email Id: cb1206@canarabank.com

NOTICE TO BORROWER & GUARANTOR

Ref No: CB/DBL/Advances/2022/07/ Date: 18.07.2022

Demand Notice is issued to you U/Sec 13(2) of SARFAESI Act 2002 and called upon to discharge your liabilities in respect of the credit facilities availed by you from our Bank as detailed below:

1. Borrower / Mortgagor / Co-Obligant / Mortgager / Guarantor : (1) Mr. G.M. Narayanaswamy, No. 64, Obenahalli, Ishapura Post, Doddaballapur Tq, Bangalore Rural District-561203. Mortgager (2) Mrs. Bhagyamma W/o G.M. Narayanaswamy, No. 64, Obenahalli, Ishapura Post, Doddaballapur Tq, Bangalore Rural District-561203.

Sub: Enforcement of Security Interest Action Notice - In connection with the credit facilities availed by you with us as described below:

You have in terms of the Loan Agreements executed by you in favour of the Bank availed the following credit facilities from our Branch and the same were classified as NPA as on 08.06.2022 and there is a total outstanding of Rs. 2,15,501.00 + Future Interest + other charges + out of pocket expenses together with interest as per the terms and conditions of loan documents executed by you and you are failing to pay the same in spite of notice. The following securities created by you in favour of the Bank by executing any or all of the documents as detailed:

Name of Facility Amount Due

Sl. No.	Facility Type	Limit Sanctioned (Rs.)	Outstanding as on 18.07.2022
1	CC(HYPN)-xx5501010007725	Rs. 2,00,000.00	Rs. 2,15,501.00
	Total	Rs. 2,00,000.00	Rs. 2,15,501.00

In spite of the repeated demands by you the amount payable by you is not paid to the Bank. Consequently the said account is irregular. You have not discharged your liabilities.

We do hereby call upon you in terms of section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, to pay a sum of Rs. 2,15,501.00 + Future Interest + other charges + out of pocket expenses together with interest as per the terms and conditions of loan documents executed by you and realise the same within 60 days from the date of this notice failing which we shall be constrained to enforce the following securities created by you in favour of the bank by exercising any or all of the rights given under the Act:

Description of the mortgaged property

All that piece and parcel of property consisting of site Khatha No. 524/ [illegible] Khatha No. 524/2007-08, present Khata No. 411, property ID 1570[illegible]4/458, 459 & 42, situated at Kasaba Hobli within the registration Sub District Doddaballapur and District, Bangalore Rural, bounded on the East by: 16 feet Road, West by: [illegible], North by: Site No. 58, South by: 12 feet Road.

It is hereby notified that if you fail to remit the entire sum within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice and the Bank proceeds with its rights under the Act and if the proceeds realised by sale of the secured assets are insufficient to cover the entire outstanding dues, you shall be liable for the deficient amount and you will also be liable for payment of interest and other charges thereon till the date of realisation.

You are hereby prohibited from transfer, alienation or creation of any third party interest in respect of the secured assets without the prior written consent of the Bank. Please note that any violation of this section is punishable with imprisonment.

You are hereby invited to exercise your right of redemption of the secured assets in terms of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of the available time to redeem the secured assets.

Date: 26.07.2022 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place: Doddaballapur Union Bank of India

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Jana Small Finance Bank Limited (formerly known as Janalakshmi Financial Services Limited) under the Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued demand notice(s) calling upon the Borrower(s) mentioned in the below table to repay the amount mentioned in the respective notice(s) within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice(s). The Borrower(s) having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on the dates mentioned against each account.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s)/ Mortgagor(s)	Demand Notice Amount & Date	Date of Possession
1	1) Mr. Yogananda Swamy L.S., 2) Mrs. Shalini .S	18.06.2021 Rs.23,17,11.00 as on 29.07.2021	23.07.2022 09.30 a.m. Bytrbelle Possession

Description of the Property: Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of Residential Site No.28, Assessment No.108, Katha No.104/1, property ID 1570[illegible]4/75, situated at Thippasandra Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, and bounded on the: East by: site No.29, West by: Private property, North by: site No.27, South by: Road.

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of property, bearing site No.157, assessment No.1705, situated at Kodathigere Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, and bounded by: the East by: Site No.156, West by: Road, North by: Site No.158, South by: Site No.156. Measuring: East to West: 30 feet and North to South: 30 feet, Total measuring 900 sq.ft.

Item No.03: All that piece and parcel of property, bearing site No.158, assessment No.1705, situated at Kodathigere Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, and bounded by: the East by: Site No.157, West by: Road, North by: Site No.159, South by: Site No.157. Measuring: East to West: 30 feet and North to South: 30 feet, Total measuring 900 sq.ft.

Whereas, the Borrower(s)/ Co-borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorised officer of Jana Small Finance Bank Limited has taken possession of the properties/ assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower(s)/ Co-borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ assets and any dealings with the said properties/ assets will be subject to the charge of Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.

Place: Bhandup Sd/- Authorised Officer
Date: 26.07.2022 For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangala Inner Ring Road, Next to ECC Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071. Branch Office: Dhwanshree Chambers, 41/1, 'O' Shaughnessy Road, 5th Floor, 'A' Wing, Off Langford Road, Shanthi Nagar, Bengaluru-560025

REPCO HOME FINANCE LIMITED

Repco Home Finance

HOSUR BRANCH: No.49/13, 1st Floor, Rajendra Towers, Shanthi Nagar, Denkanikottai Main Road, Hosur – 635 107.

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Properties)

Whereas the undersigned being **Authorised Officer** of **Repco Home Finance Limited** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice on the dates mentioned below, calling upon them** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower, Co-Borrowers and the Guarantor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, co-borrowers, guarantor and the public in general that **the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below** in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 9 of the said rules on this the **21st day of July 2022.**

The Borrower, Co-Borrowers, Guarantor and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Repco Home Finance Limited, Following Branches for an amount and interest thereon mentioned below against each account.**

We draw your attentions to Sec 13 (8) of the Securitisation Act as per which, no further steps shall be taken for transfer or sale of the secured asset, if the dues of the secured creditor together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by secured creditor are tendered by you at anytime before the date fixed for sale or transfer of the secured asset.

Sl.No. 1 : Borrower: Mr. Bhaskar Reddy, S/o. Ranga Reddy, No 624, 1st floor, 15th A Main, Sector 4, HSR Layout, Bangalore - 560102. Also at, Site No.5, New no.6/4, Kattigonahalli Village, Near Reva University, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North. Also at, Plot No.23, S.No.34/1a1, 34/1A8, 34/1A9, Near BMTC Bus Depot & Rachitra Tech Park, Electronic City, Begur Hobli, Banglore South, Bangalore. **Co-Borrower: Mrs. T. Supraja,** W/o. Bhaskar Reddy, No 624, 1st floor, 15th A Main, Sector 4, HSR Layout, Bangalore - 560102. Also at, Site No.5, New No.6/4, Kattigonahalli Village, Near Reva University, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North. Also at, Plot No.23, S.No.34/1a1, 34/1A8, 34/1A9, Near BMTC Bus Depot & Rachitra Tech Park, Electronic City, Begur Hobli, Banglore South, Bangalore. **Guarantor: Mr. C. Ramana Reddy,** No.7, 27th Main Road, 3rd Cross, Ashlehi Layout, Eripura, Bangalore - 560 048. **Demand Notice Date : 10.03.2022**, Amount claimed asper Demand Notice **(Account Account Nos. 1361860002025 & 1361816002378)** being **Rs.89,04,352/- & Rs.1,09,80,531/-** respectively with further interest from **04.03.2022** onwards and other costs thereon; **Amount Outstanding : Rs.88,27,117/- & Rs.1,10,23,408/-** with further interest from **18.07.2022** onwards and other cost thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Property 1 : All that piece and parcel of Residential Site No. 23, In Konappana Agrahara Gram Panchayath having No. 11-B, Katha No. 1573/34/1, Property ID No. 1502003006001204 15, and Katha No. 1572/34/1A8, Property ID No. 1502003006001204 14, carved out of converted Survey No. 34/1A8, (Portion of Old Survey. No. 34/1), New Survey. No. 34/1A1 (Portion of Old Sy. No. 34/1), Sy. No. 34/1A8 (Old Sy. No. 34/1A1 (converted for Non - Agricultural purpose by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore Vide Order No. ALN. SR (S) 171/2007-08, dated 13-03-2008), situated at Konappana Agrahara Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bounded by: East by : 22 feet Road, West by : Site No.36, North by : Site No.24, South by : Site No.22. Measuring: East to West: 40 feet and North to South: 30 feet, Total measuring 1200 sq.ft. In the midst above said land. **Property 2:** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No 5, Assessment No Old No 6/1, New No 6/4, BBMP Khata No 2114, situated at Kattigenahalli village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to west 33+30/2 = 31.05 feet and North to South : 49+44.5/2 = 46.75 feet totally measuring 1472 sq feet, of land together with building and building to be constructed there on and bounded as follows:- East by : Road, West by : Site No 6, North by : Road, South by : Site No. 7, In the midst above said land.

Sl.No. 2 : Borrower : Mr. M. Srikanta, S/o. Munikrishnappa, No.55, Kundana Village, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural, Kundana - 562 110. Also at, M/s. New Sriram Digitals, Govindappa complex, Opp. DC Office, Devanahalli, Bangalore - 562 110. Also at, No.323/148/9, S.No.148/9, Kundana Village, Devanahalli, Bangalore - 562 110. **Co-Borrower: Mrs. Prema .S,** No. 55, Kundana Village, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural, Bangalore - 562 110, Also at, M/s. AK Fashions & Footwear, Sarjapura, Billapura Post, Attibele Main Road, Bangalore, Also at No.323/148/9, S.No.148/9, Kundana Village, Devanahalli, Bangalore - 562 110. **Demand Notice Date : 09.03.2022.** Amount claimed asper Demand Notice **(Account No. 1361860002973)** being **Rs.21,58,493/-** respectively with further interest from **05.03.2022** onwards and other costs thereon; **Amount Outstanding : Rs. 22,63,550/-** with further interest from **18.07.2022** onwards and other cost thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of the property situated at Bangalore Rural District, Devanahalli Taluk, Kundana Hobli, Kundana Village, Sy.No.148/5, New Sy.No.148/9, measuring an extent of 1 Acre 16 Guntas of land, out of this measuring an extent of 0-05 Guntas of land, As per E-Khatha (Form No.11B) PID No. 1503092005001201 52, Property No.323/148/9 measuring an extent of East to West : 10.0584 Mtr, and North to South : 10.0584 Mtr, Totally measuring an extent of 101.17 Sq. Mtr of land together with the building and building to be constructed there on, and bounded as follows:- East by : Property belongs to Mr.Sridhar, West by : Property belongs to Mrs.Padma, North by : 16 Feet Wide Road, South by : Property belongs to Mr. B.Patalappa.

Date : 21.07.2022 **Authorised Officer, Repco Home Finance Ltd.**

Canara Bank

A Government of India Undertaking

ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT -1 BRANCH BANGALORE SSD 001
Ph: 080 - 25310050 E-mail Id: cb2386@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

Sale notice for sale of Immovable Assets Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002

Notice is hereby given to the Public in General and in particular to the Borrower(s) mentioned hereunder that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Canara Bank, under Sec. 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, will be sold on "As is where is", "As what is" and "Whatever there is" on 11.08.2022 from 10.00 AM to 12.00 PM for recovery of Rs.94,12,922.54 (Rupees Ninety Four Lakh Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Two and Fifty Four Paise only) as on 31.05.2022 plus further interest and costs due to the Secured Creditor from 1. Sri Sadashiva Infrastructures Pvt Ltd., a Private Limited Company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956 having its Registered Office at No. 1130/E, 100 Feet Road, HAL 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038 represented by its Managing Director Sri. Sreedhar B.T No.61, Ramakrishnappa Layout, Kaggadasapura Main Road, C.V. Raman Nagar, Bengaluru-560093 2. Smt. Sadashiva B.T No.61, Ramakrishnappa Layout, Kaggadasapura Main Road, C.V. Raman Nagar, Bengaluru-560093 3. Sri. Rakshashankar T.S. No.11, Lakshmi Layout, 2nd Cross, Mahadevapura Post, Whitefield, Bengaluru-560048

The immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor and the Authorised Officer, being the Secured Creditor, will be sold on 10.08.2022 at 3.00 PM by way of E-Auction through Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, Asset Recovery Management Branch, Bengaluru or through online payment to Account No. 51525101[illegible] with the following:

Sl. No.	Description of the Immovable assets	Reserve Price (Rs. In Lakhs)	EMD (Rs. In Lakhs)	Incremental Value
1	All the piece and parcel of Site No.220 and No.220 measuring 30 Ft. East to West - Two sides by 40 Ft. North to South - Two sides totally measuring 1200 Sq. Ft. Bounded on the North by Site No.219, South by Site No.221, East by 30 Ft. wide Road, West by Site No.219 Situated at Kodathi Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and Registration Sub District.	₹22.00	₹2.20	₹0.20

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the above knowledge of the Bank.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Canara Bank website (www.canarabank.com) or contact Chief Manager, Asset Recovery Management Branch Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No. 080-25310050 during office hours on any working day.

Date: 25.07.2022 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place: Bangalore Canara Bank

THE HANUMANTHANAGAR CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,

H.O.: # 7129, 3rd Main Road, 1st Cross, Hanumanthnagar, Bangalore-560 019, Telephone: 22428085, 26507970, Mobile: 9481837171

(Rule 8(1))

POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorized officer of the Hanumanthanagar Co-operative Bank Limited, H.O.: # 7129, 3rd Main Road, 1st Cross, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore - 560 019 under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord 3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued demand notice calling upon the mortgagor/s to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs. 5 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers/co-borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/co-borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said rules. The borrowers/co-borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the The Hanumanthanagar Co-op. Bank Ltd., Head Office No. 7129, 3rd Main Road, 1st Cross, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore - 560 019.

LOANEE NAME	BALANCE AMOUNT, POSSESSION DATE AND PROPERTY ADDRESS	SCHEDULE
Sri. M.S.Yogesh Sri.S.H.Ashatha Sri.M.S.Ramesh (Surety)	Rs.40,76,442/- 21.07.2022 All the piece and Parcel having Site No.64 Katha No.282, situated at Kaveri Paper Mills employees House building Co-op Society Limited, Malleshwaram Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Comes under Devanahalli Palike Jurisdiction Ward No.125, Bangalore	East to West : 30'-00" Feet and North to South : 40'-00" Feet East by : Site No.65 West by : Site No.63 North by : Site No.30 South by : Road
Sri. M.JohnPhillips Smt. P.Anitha Sri.P.PrasanaKumar (Surety)	Rs.30,44,108/- 21.07.2022 All the piece and Parcel bearing No.11, situated at 14th Cross, Sampangiramanagara, Now Comes under Ward Bangalore Palike (Sampangiramanagar Ward) Bangalore. With E-Khata No.77-22-11	East to West : 25'-00" Feet and North to South : 25'-00" Feet East by : Private Property West by : Private Property North by : Road South by : House of Nanjundappa
Sri.V.Suresh Smt.Vijayalakshmi Sri.V.Jaganath Sri.V.Srinivas Sri.M.Doddaiah (Surety)	Rs.18,62,987/- 21.07.2022 All the piece and Parcel bearing No.249 (Old No.1229) BBMP No.102, situated in Ward No.72 of Sampangiram Subramanyapalli extension situated at Viramadenahalli Main Cross, Subedar Chatram Road, Hanumanthanagar, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Hanumanthanagar Bangalore With E-Khata No.72-26-28	East to West : 35'-00" Feet and North to South : 20'-00" Feet East by : Site No.117 West by : Road North by : Site No.131 South by : Site No.133
Smt. K.K.Sumithra Sri K.K.Uthappa Sri C.R.Krishna Prakash Babu (Surety)	Rs.36,34,722/- 21.07.2022 All the piece and Parcel bearing No.Old No.20 (Old No.90), Situated at 10th Main Road, Sampangiramanagara, Sy.No.1 of Jeevanabheemanagara Village, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Hanumanthanagar Bangalore With E-Khata No.12-22-45	East to West : 40'-00" Feet and North to South : 30'-00" Feet East by : Property of Manju West by : Road North by : Ramachandra Reddy's Property South by : M.R.Hanumanaiah's Property
Sri B.M.Ganapathi Smt.K.K.Sumitra Smt.M.N.Mahalakshmi (Surety)	Rs. 82,34,425/- 21.07.2022 Item No.I All the piece and Parcel of the property bearing Site No.8, Katha No.3412/325/2, Converted Sy. No. 20/1, Situated at Harohalli Village, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagar Dist. Now Comes under Harohalli Village Panchayath, With E-Katha No.1529[illegible]	East to West: 12'-19" Mtrs and North to South : 9'-14" Mtrs East by : Property bearing Site No.9 West by : Property bearing No.7 North by : 25 Feet Road South by : Property bearing No.7
Sri Rabshan Shariff Sri. Akmal Shariff Smt.Nagina Taj. Sri.Zeeshan Shariff Sri.Allshan Shariff Sri. Afsar Shariff (Surety)	Item No.II All the piece and Parcel of the property bearing Site No.14 Katha No.3407/326/13 Converted Sy. No.20/1, Situated at Harohalli Village, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagar Dist, Now Comes under Harohalli Village Panchayath, With E-Katha No.1529[illegible]	East to West: 12'-19" Mtrs and North to South : 9'-14" Mtrs East by : Property bearing Site No.16 West by : Property bearing No.9 North by : 25 Feet Road South by : Property bearing No.14
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WASHINGTON

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Firefighters at a damaged building after Russian shelling | AP

Fresh Russian airstrikes on Black Sea regions damage pvt buildings

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EXPRESS READ

Lebanon approves $150mn wheat loan

Beirut: Lebanon's parliament approved on Tuesday a $150 million World Bank loan to import wheat, local media reported. Long lines have formed in front of bakeries and supermarkets where people wait hours for a bag of subsidised Arabic bread. Lebanon imports 80% of its wheat from war-torn Ukraine, according to a representative of Lebanon's wheat importers.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The hereby notified that my general power of attorney holder Sri. Srikanth R and Smt. Ramalakshmma have sold the property to sale deed dated 21.10.1982 reg. as vide document No. 4743/1982-83 at page No. 177 to 178 in Volume No. 419 at Book I in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hampton. Both sale deed and agreement of sale dated 30.09.1982 executed by Vijayalakshmi Devi in favour of my client have been lost/misplaced and not traceable inspite of search. Any claim in respect of the above property to be intimated to us within 7 days from this date.

Sd/-
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Bengaluru - 560061.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

My client Sri. SUNIL KUMAR P DABBER S/o. Late Parameshwara Reddy, residing at No. 151 Ist Main, 4 & 5 Cross, Anand Nagar, HAL Post, Bangalore-560 024 intends to purchase the undivided property from a LIC Housing Finance Corporation Ltd. Sri. Dr. Tridivesh Singh Maniram Rao (Retd.) Major General, Chairman and Managing Director, Smt. Vibha Tripathi, Director, Sri. Keshav Bhatt, Director, Sri. Ashwani Kumar, Director, Sri. Ramesh Bhat, Director, Sri. Sudhir Shrivastava, Director, Sri. Ramesh Iyer, Director, Sri. Subramanian Ramadorai, Director, Sri. Vinay Kumar Chaubey, Director, Sri. Ravi Kumar Gupta, Director, Sri. Ashok Kumar Gupta, Director, Sri. Ashok Kumar Barat, Director, Sri. Ashok Kumar Barat, Director, Sri. Ashok Kumar Barat

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Govt receives ₹1.45 cr bid on first day of 5G auction

The spectrum bid saw much interest in the mid-and-high bands

RAKESH KUMAR @New Delhi

THE Department of Telecom (DoT) received a total bids of ₹1.45 lakh crore on the first day of 5G spectrum auction.

As per telecom ministry, 4 rounds of auction took place on Day 1 of India's biggest-ever bid for spectrum and saw highest-ever interest from bidders in the mid-and-high bands -- 3,300 MHz and 24 GHz. The 720 MHz low band, which went unsold in previous auctions, too received bids for the first-time ever. As per reports, 40% of the 720 MHz band has been sold.

"The auction saw a healthy participation. After 4 rounds, we have seen strong bids. This response shows the industry has turned the tide and is now growing into a sunrise industry; it will focus on investment and providing better quality service," Telecom minister Ashwini Vaishnaw told reporters on Tuesday evening.

The minister further said the government intends to allocate the spectrum "in record time" — by August 14, with a rollout of service expected by September. India's top two telcos Reliance Jio and Bharti Airtel, along with cash strapped Vodafone Idea (VIL) and new entrant Adani Data Networks, have put in bids so far. The government has put on sale 72 GHz of 5G airwaves across 10 bands worth ₹4.3 lakh crore at base price. The auction begun at 10am and will continue till 6 pm each day.

"Next 36 hours will pave the way for 5G roll-out in India. While the EMD (earnest money deposit) deposited and subsequent allocation of points allow operators to buy spectrum almost to the tune of ₹2 lakh crore, the government is expected to garner about 40% from this auction, said Peeyush Vaish, partner and telecom sector leader, Deloitte India. He added that since the supply is abundant, there is a fair chance of deferment of larger chunks of spectrum by the operators.

Jio has made a ₹14,000 crore EMD, Airtel has put in ₹5,500 crore and debt-laden VIL has made ₹2,200 crore. Cash-rich Gautam Adani-led-Adani Data Network put in just ₹100 crore. The EMD indicates the maximum quantity of airwaves a company can bid for in the auction, usually firms can bid 8-10x of the EMD amount.

Meanwhile, the DoT has said telcos can get E-band spectrum from the government in an administrative manner for the circles they have purchased spectrum for.

AVIATION

Akasa adds 28 weekly flights

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

AKASA AIR, India's newest airline, is adding 28 weekly direct flights on its newly-launched sector between Bengaluru and Mumbai starting August 19, 2022.

With this, Akasa Air will have a presence in the key cities of Ahmedabad, Mumbai, Kochi and Bengaluru, making a total of 82 weekly flights available within the first few weeks of its operations. On July 22, 2022, investor Rakesh Jhunjhunwala-backed Akasa opened bookings for ticket sales of its first commercial flight. Flying with the airline code QP, Akasa Air will begin commercial operations with two aircraft from August 07, 2022. On Tuesday, the airline welcomed the arrival of its second Boeing 737 MAX aircraft, VT-YAB, at the Indira Gandhi International Airport in New Delhi.

Top IT companies reduce hiring in first quarter of financial year 2022-23

UMA KANNAN @Bengaluru

AFTER hiring a record number of employees in Q4 FY22, the top IT companies in India have reduced net employee additions in the first quarter of this fiscal.

Tata Consultancy Services (TCS), Infosys and HCL Technologies cumulatively added only 37,396 staff in the April-June quarter, compared to 68,257 employees in the January-March quarter. Wipro and Tech Mahindra have added more employees - 22,308 in Q1FY23 as against 17,563 employees in the previous quarter. "Over the last few quarters, we have been hiring both lateral talent and fresh talent, and we think we have some additional capacity and that was the reason net hiring was lower than what we had in the past," said HCL Technologies CEO and MD C Vijayakumar in an earnings call.

Analysts say that IT companies have reduced hiring considering the demand environment. But Vijayakumar said the company has not moderated any hiring based on any demand environment. He added that the main reason was to increase utilisation and better deployment of freshers. HCL said that it will hire 30,000-35,000 freshers in FY23. "In this quarter, we plan to onboard 10,000 freshers, which will be one of the highest number of freshers that we have onboarded in the past five or six quarters," he said.

Wipro will also be adding over 30,000 freshers in FY23. TCS said it plans to hire 40,000 freshers in this fiscal. TCS CEO and MD Rajesh Gopinathan said, "Q1 is a lighter quarter for trainee absorption, whereas Q2 and Q3 are the primary quarters. Last year, we had gone aggressive and hired through the year to build up over 100,000 trainee bench."

IT firms have been reporting record-high attrition rates, and Infosys reported the highest attrition of 28.4% in Q1. Also, attrition continues to hit margins. Wipro CFO Jatin Dalal said employee costs have had a key impact on margins. TCS operating margin in Q1 stood at 23.1%, a contraction of 2.4% YoY. TCS CFO Samir Seksaria said, "It has been a challenging quarter from a cost management perspective. Our Q1 operating margin of 23.1% reflects the impact of our annual salary increase, the elevated cost of managing the talent churn and gradually normalising travel expenses."

Zomato share falls 12%, m-cap skids below ₹33K crore

ARSHAD KHAN @New Delhi

Worries of Fed tightening are weighing on the profitless Internet names globally. The sector has been going through a re-adjustment as the focus is shifting from growth to cash flow. This has also been impacting food delivery stocks, with Zomato being the worst performing stock

Jefferies

AFTER falling over 11% on Monday, Zomato shares on Tuesday nose-dived another 12% to close at ₹41.65/piece on the BSE. The two-day bloodbath has wiped out nearly ₹9,000 crore of investors' wealth and has brought down the food aggregator's market capitalisation to 32,793 crore.

Zomato had emerged as one of the most valuable companies on listing day with a market cap of ₹98,849 crore and its valuation soared to ₹1,33,144 crore in November'21. The fall, which was triggered on Monday after the one-year lock-in period of its pre-IPO investors ended, weighed heavily on investors sentiment on Tuesday as well. The fall was sharper as overall market sentiment, especially of tech stocks, remained weak ahead of the crucial FOMC meeting. Benchmark Sensex and Nifty declined little less than 1% on Tuesday.

"Worries of Fed tightening are weighing on the profitless Internet names globally. The entire sector has been going through a period of re-adjustment as the focus is shifting from growth to cash flow. FANGMAN is down 15-65% year to day. This has also been impacting the global food delivery stocks which are down 50-65% YTD, with Zomato being the worst performing stock," said brokerage Jefferies in its commentary on Monday. Since the beginning of 2022, Zomato share prices have fallen by over 70%.

Beside Zomato, fintech major Paytm shed nearly 9% on Tuesday to skid below ₹700-level.

Jefferies sees a major upside in Zomato share prices and has kept a price target of ₹100. While Jefferies is bullish on the stock, few market experts feel the fall was bound to happen even as Zomato made a blockbuster debut in July last year. Ace investor Shankar Sharma on Twitter said, "It was game over on listing itself."

What also has impacted Zomato share prices is its decision to acquire another loss making startup Blinkit.

This, according to many experts, will delay Zomato's path to profitability.

Have unique biz model with access to unlimited B2B, B2C market: Adani

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

Growth of Adani group, m-cap rise

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ADANI GROUP Chairman Gautam Adani, at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Adani Enterprises (AEL) on Tuesday, said he knows of no company today, except his that has such a unique business model with potential access to an unlimited B2B (business to business) and B2C (business to consumer) market for the next several decades.

Adani's declaration comes as the over $200 billion Group continues to expand its dominance into newer businesses with ease and the flagships continue to win giant contracts.

"We were able to raise billions of dollars from the international markets – a direct validation of confidence in the India and Adani growth story. Several foreign governments are now approaching us to work in their geographies and help build their infrastructure. Therefore, in 2022, we also laid the foundation to seek a broader expansion beyond India's boundaries," said Adani who also is Asia's richest billionaire.

He added that the Group's rising m-cap has been supported by robust and sustained growth in their cash flows. Adani group's combined borrowings grew 40.5% to about ₹2.21 lakh crore in the financial year 2021-22.

"Our focus on operational excellence across portfolio and the accretive capacity addition delivered an EBITDA growth of 26%. Portfolio EBITDA stood at ₹42,623 crore. This diversified growth in FY22 was reflected across range of businesses. Our utility portfolio grew by 26%, our transport and logistics portfolio grew by 19%, our FMCG portfolio grew by 34%, and Adani Enterprises, our incubator business, grew by 45%. AEL's unique business model has no parallel and we intend to leverage this further," said Adani, Asia's richest man. On the its foray into renewable energy space, Adani said its plan to invest $ 70 billion in clean energy will act as a facilitator for India's green energy transition.

Increase time gap between filing of TDS and IT returns, say tax experts

MONIKA YADAV @New Delhi

AS the last date for individuals to file their income tax returns (ITR) is nearing, tax consultants have taken to social media platforms demanding extension in the date for return filing.

Experts say due to delay in update of Form 26 AS, which is a consolidated annual statement having details of tax deducted at source (TDS), tax collected at source (TCS), advance tax and self assessment tax paid by the assessee, the taxpayers are left with very less time to do all the formalities and due diligence. The last date for individual return filing is July 31. The finance ministry sources have been saying that it is unlikely that the deadline will be extended. "Form 26 AS gets updated by June 10-15. It is dependent upon TDS returns. Deadline for filing TDS returns is May 31. Government data related to January-March is never updated on time. So the tax consultants are left with only 45 days to file returns. This time the duration is very short," Chetan Daga, partner at AdvantEdge Consulting Group, said. "At the end of the financial year, work gets piled up. So, the time to do the review and formalities related to return filing falls very short," Daga added. Kunal Singhal, a senior partner at CA firm Suresh Chandra & Associates, suggests that the government should raise the time gap between processing of TDS returns and return filing date.

RECESSION FEARS

IMF cuts India growth to 7.4% for current yr

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE IMF has cut India's growth forecast for 2022 down by 80 bps to 7.4%, reflecting less favourable external conditions and more rapid monetary policy tightening. In April, the multi-lateral agency had estimated India's GDP to grow at 8.2%. For 2023 as well, it had revised the growth estimate downward by 80 basis points to 6.1%.

In its latest World Economic Outlook (WEO) released on Tuesday, the agency ruled out the possibility of a global recession this year but warned that the risk of a recession was prominent next year.

"The risk of recession is particularly prominent in 2023, when in several economies growth is expected to bottom out, household savings accumulated during the pandemic will have declined, and even small shocks could cause economies to stall," it noted.

Considering the unending economic uncertainties, it has cut global growth to 3.2% and 2.9% in 2022 and 2023, respectively — 0.4% and 0.7% lower than its April estimates. In 2021, growth stood at 6.1%. The primary culprits driving revisions include the world's leading economies — the US, China, the euro area and of course India — which are witnessing sharper slowdowns due to extended lockdowns in China (affecting trade), tightening financial conditions, steeper interest rate hikes, persistent inflation, and spillovers from the Ukraine war.

As for price rise, the IMF made no bones about the fact that inflation is here to stay. Its baseline projections for global inflation are pessimistic, having been revised to 8.3% in 2022 from 6.9% projected in April. While emerging market and developing economies inflation may reach 10%, the revision is larger for advanced economies at 6.3% from 4.8%. This is due to significant price rise in major economies like the UK (2.7% upward revision to 10.5%) and the euro area (2.9% upward revision to 7.3%).

JAPAN

RAISES ECONOMIC VIEW, SIGNALS BROADER RECOVERY

Japan upgraded its overall view on the economy for the first time in three months in July, signalling a broader recovery in economic activity as the drag from the pandemic continued to fade. The upgrade was largely because the government turned more positive about consumption and employment amid hopes that strength in consumer activity will help shield the economy from rising risks of slowing global demand. "The economy is picking up gently," the government said in its July economic report, describing the world's third-largest economy in a way that it had not done since May 2013.

Industry urges govt to do away with compulsory 10% coal import order

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

AS coal minister Pralhad Joshi claimed there was no shortage of coal in the county, industry experts on Tuesday requested the government not to coerce state power generators or independent power producers (IPPs) to import 10% coal for blending purpose on inflated rates.

Following the statement of the minister in parliament on July 25, 2022, the experts said the power ministry should revoke and withdraw the order for import of 10% their coal requirement. "All India Power Engineers Federation (AIPEF) has sent a letter today to Prime Minister urging him to intervene and issue effective directions to Ministry of Power to immediately withdraw the instructions given to state Gencos to import 10 % of coal in the light of reply given by Pralhad Joshi in Rajya Sabha on July 25, 2022, that there is no shortage of coal and production of coal is 31% more as compared to last year," said Shailendra Dubey Chairman of AIPEF.

The extra cost of imported coal, the federation said, must be borne by the power ministry now. As the country faced power crisis due to coal shortage in peak summer, the ministry, in an official order, asked state Gencos and IIPs to import 10% of coal for blending. The ministry further stated if blending with domestic coal is not started by June 15, 2022, then the domestic allocation of the defaulter thermal power plants will be further cut by 5%. However, the Joshi in parliament said in the current financial year (up to June 22), India has produced 204.876 MT of coal as against 156.11 MT during the same period of last year.

Q1FY23 RESULTS

Asian Paints reports 80% increase in net profit to ₹1,036 crore

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

ASIAN PAINTS on Tuesday reported an 80% increase in its consolidated net profit at ₹1,036 crore in the first quarter of financial year 2022-23 as compared to ₹574 crore in the same quarter last year. The paints major also saw its revenue surging over 54% to ₹8,607 crore as against ₹5,585 crore in the year-ago period.

The company's earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization (EBITDA) stands at ₹1,654.92 crore in June 2022, up 64.97% from ₹1,003.17 crore in June 2021. Its sales for Kitchens business increased by 68.3% to ₹109.04 crore from ₹64.79 crore in the corresponding period of the previous year, Asian Paints stated in an exchange filing.

The domestic decorative business experienced good consumer demand and recorded stellar revenue growth for the quarter, according to Amit Syngle, Managing Director & CEO of Asian Paints. He went on to add that the volume growth registered in the quarter is one of the highest in the last six quarters.

"The business also registered robust 4-year compounded growth in volume and value terms. Environment continued to impact the gross margins, we delivered healthy operating margins with strong push on the premium & luxury offerings and driving further operational efficiencies across businesses," he said. At the same time, on a standalone basis, the company's revenue for the quarter increased by 59.6% whereas standalone net profit for the quarter moved up by 70.7%.

L&T's net jumps 45% to ₹1,702.07 cr

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

LARSEN & TOUBRO (L&T) on Tuesday reported a 45% jump in its consolidated net profit at ₹1,702.07 crore for the quarter ended June 30, 2022 as compared to ₹1,174 crore in the corresponding quarter a year ago.

The company saw its consolidated revenue for the engineering, procurement and construction (EPC) giant rise 22.2% year on year (y-o-y) to ₹35,853 crore. On a sequential basis, the revenue plummeted 32.2%.

At the operating level, the company's earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) jumped 24.8% to ₹3,956.7 crore in the quarter under review over ₹3,171 crore in Q1 FY22. EBITDA margin stood at 11.04% in Q1 as compared to 10.8% in the same period last year.

In terms of sectors, The Infrastructure Projects segment secured order inflows of ₹18,343 crore, during the quarter registering growth of 66% compared to corresponding quarter of the previous year. The Energy Projects Segment secured orders valued at ₹4,366 crore during the quarter.

South Indian Bank net up

SOUTH INDIAN BANK on Tuesday reported an elevenfold jump in standalone net profit to ₹115.35 crore in the first quarter of the financial year 2022-23, as lower bad loans reduced provisioning requirement. The Kerala-based bank had posted a net profit of ₹10.31 crore in the year-ago quarter ended in June 2021. However sequentially, the June quarter profit fell by over 57% from ₹272 crore recorded in January-March 2022 period. The bank's total income in April-June period of the current fiscal year also fell to ₹1,868.15 crore as compared to ₹2,084.39 crore in first quarter of FY22. ENS

KVB net up 110% at ₹229 cr

TAMIL NADU-BASED lender Karur Vysya Bank (KVB) on Tuesday reported a 110% jump in net profit at ₹229 crore in Q1 FY23. Operating profit for the quarter was ₹475 crore and net interest income for the quarter improved by 17% (YoY).

The net interest margin stood at 3.82%, up 27 basis points from 3.55% a year ago. KVB's yield on its advances is at 8.27%, non-interest income for the quarter was ₹199 crore and cost to income ratio stands at 49.68%. ENS

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Tender No KDCCBank/Computer/E-Tender-2022-23 Dated : 27/07/2022

E- TENDER NOTIFICATION

Kodagu District Co-operative Central Bank Ltd., Madikeri hereby invites proposal through e-tender from the eligible Vendors for the implementation and maintenance of COMMON SOFTWARE for Primary Agriculture Co-operative Societies of various locations in the Kodagu District under Kodagu DCC Bank.

Tender forms can be downloaded from 27/07/2022 - 12.00 pm onwards

Last date of tender submission on : 23/08/2022 - 2.00 pm

The details of e-tender notification and Blank tender document can be downloaded at www.tenderwizard.com/karvendors

For further details on e-Tender participation, please contact KCNICS Helpdesk on Ph: 080-49352000 / 9686190760 / 9686196765.

E-mail. prabhu@wizai.com / mohan.k@etenderwizard.com Sd/-

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(On approval of Board of Management)

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POSSESSION NOTICE (Rule 8(1)) (For Immovable property)

... Demand Notice dated: 21-09-2021 calling upon the Applicants/ Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors, in Loan Account No. S16BLR-BLR-004444, 1). M/s. Magnifique Public School, Represented by its Authorised Signatory. 2). M/s. Touheed Foundation, Represented by its Authorised Signatory. No. 1 and 2 are having office at 21st K. M Kanaka Main Road, Lakshmipuram Grama, Tataguni Post, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore -560082., 3). V S. Moinddin, S/o. Syed Umar, 4). Zulfi Moin, W/o. V.S Moinddin. No. 3 and 4 are residing at No. 19/A, 3rd Cross, Near Taqwa Mosque Umarbagh Layout, J.P Nagar, Bangalore – 560078, to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice being a sum of Rs. 18,74,373/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Three only) as on 22-09-2021 with agreed contractual rate of interest, ... and other charges etc., under is mentioned in the Demand Notice till the date of payment, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

... Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors ... are hereby cautioned not to deal with the said properties and any dealings with the said properties will be subject to the charge of the M/s. Varthana Finance Private Ltd., Bangalore, for an amount of Rs. 18,74,373/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Three) as on 22-09-2021 with agreed contractual rate of interest as mentioned hereinabove until the date of payment together with incidental expenses, cost and other charges. The Applicants/ Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the said properties in any manner.

Description of the Immovable Property: All the piece and parcel of the property bearing ... Site No 19-A, Khata No.3271, Site No. 27/1, situated at Jarakabande Kaval, Jarakabande Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore, Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore East Taluk ... (EBID 3154 ... Plot, Residential, East By: Private Property, West By: Site No. 19/B, ... and North by: Road, South By: Private property and ... Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand Three Hundred Only).

Date: 27-07-2022, Place: Bangalore (Authorised Officer, Varthana Finance Private Limited)

BENGALURU URBAN, BENGALURU RURAL & RAMANAGAR DIST. CO-OP. MILK PRODUCER'S SOCIETIES UNION LIMITED

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TECHNICAL-CUM-COMMERCIAL SHORT TERM e-TENDER

Bengaluru Co-Operative Milk Union Ltd., (BAMUL) Bengaluru, invites e-Tender from the interested, Eligible, Registered and Qualified Insurance Companies to provide Group Mediclaim Insurance Policy to the employees of BAMUL and their dependents for period of 2022-23 (one year) on contract basis

No. BAMUL/ADMN-4/GROUP MEDICLAIM INSURANCE/01/TENDER/2022-23

Sl No.	PARTICULARS	
	Group Medical Insurance for BAMUL Employees and their dependents for the period one year	
	TIME SCHEDULE OF e-TENDER	
1	Access to E-tender Documents	27.07.2022 To 09.08.2022
2	Last date & time for tender clarification	05.08.2022 at 4.00 PM
3	Last date for submission of tender / quoting	09.08.2022 at 5.00 PM
4	Date & time for opening Technical Tender Part-I	10.08.2022 at 11.30AM
5	Date & time for opening Commercial Tender Part-II	12.08.2022 at 11.30AM
6	Place of opening of Technical Cum Commercial Tender	BAMUL, Dr.M.H.Marigowda Road, Bengaluru 560029.

Regarding tender related Queries and clarification contact website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in.

Sd/- MANAGING DIRECTOR
Tender Inviting Authority, Bengaluru Co-op. Milk Union Ltd.,

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E-Auction Sale Notice under SARFAESI Act 2002

E Auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and reconstruction of financial assets and enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to rule 8(6) of the security interest (Enforcement) rules, 2002

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The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before 25.08.2022 at 5.00 pm by way of DD favouring Authorised Officer Canara Bank, Nelamangala Branch or through online payment to Account No. 209272434, IFSC CODE CNRB0000445.

Name of the Borrower/Guarantor(s)	Total Liabilities	Date & Time of Auction	1)Reserve Price 2)EMD 3)Incremental Value
1) Mr. Rajanna, Krishnamurthy No.19/1670 & 1674/2, Ha... Layout, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District.	Rs. 45,38,650/- (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs Thirty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Only) as on 21.07.2022 plus further interest and cost thereon from 01.08.2022	29.08.2022 from 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM	1) Rs.39,05,000/- 2) Rs.3,35,500/- 3) Rs.25,000/-

Description of the Immovable Assets: All the piece and parcel of the property Khaneshumari Plot no.19/2702, East/West 40 Feets (Public Road) North/South 60 feet Totally Measuring 2400 Sft, Site No. 19/1670, Ward No.45 Nelamangala No.1 09 feet Totally measuring 4165 Sft. both Situated at Nandhana Village, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. Boundaries of the Plot No.19/1670/2: East by: Canara Property, West by: Road, North by: Road, South by: Manohar Murthy Property. Boundaries of the Plot No.19/1670/1: East by: Muniyappa Property, West by: Ramu property, North by: Ramu property, South by: Siddalingamma property.

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For further details contact, Canara Bank, Nelamangala Branch, Roopa Theatre Complex, BH Road, Nelamangala-562123. Phone: 080-27725454, 080-27725454, e-Mail – cb0445@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s Antares Systems Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru (Contact No. 9686196755/9686196765 080-49352000, e-mail: manohar.s@antaressystems.com

Date : 21.07.2022
Place: Nelamangala

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

TUMKUR CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS SOCIETIES UNION LTD.,

M.G. – 208, B.H. ROAD, MALLASANDRA, TUMKUR – 572 107.
Phone: 0816-2206257/ 4249040, Email:tmupl.r99@gmail.com Fax: 0816-2206760

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDERS (Tender Notification only through E-procurement)

Tumkur Co-operative Milk Producers Societies Union Ltd., Tumkur invites E-Procurement tenders two cover system (Technical & Financial bid) from eligible tenderers for the items as below:

PART-A

Sl No.	E-Procurement Tender No. & Date	Materials Details	E.M.D Amount Rs.
1	KMF/TCMPU/R.D.2022-23/ MD/Cattle Feed/ Dt: 25.07.2022	Supply of Poly Cooker with 6 Plates Along with Carry Bag As per Our Terms And Technical Specification - 2,500 Nos.	93,200.00

1. Tender Schedule Downloading Date: From 25-07-2022 to 04-08-2022 2.00 P.M.
2. Last Date for Submission Of Tender 04-08-2022 2.00 P.M.
3. Time & Date of Opening of Technical Tender Bid (Cover 1): 05-08-2022 2.30 P.M
4. Web Site Address For E-tender: www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

PART-B

Sl No.	E-Procurement Tender No. & Date	Materials Details	E.M.D Amount Rs.
1	KMF/TCMPU/LP/ DAIRY COWS /2022-23/ Dt: 25.07.2022	For Insuring Pregnant Heifers / Cross Breed Cows/ Local Cows / Buffaloes (without Permanent total disability coverage) owned by Members of Milk Producers Co-Operative Societies affiliated to Tumkur Milk Union Limited for a period of one year from RCDA licensed Insurance companies – 1,75,000 Animals	10,000-00

1. Tender Schedule Downloading Date: From 25-07-2022 to 10-08-2022 2.00 P.M.
2. Last Date for Submission Of Tender 10-08-2022 2.00 P.M.
3. Time & Date of Opening of Technical Tender Bid (Cover 1): 11-08-2022 2.30 P.M.
4. Web Site Address For E-tender: www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

For Tumkur Co-operative Milk Union Ltd.
MANAGING DIRECTOR

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA UNDERTAKING)

Devanahalli Branch
Akshaya Bhavan, BB Road.
Bangalore Rural District, Ph: 080-27683949,
E-mail: cb0474@canarabank.com

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Name of the Borrower/Guarantor(s)	Total Liabilities	Date & Time of Auction
1 M/s Nandi Wires : Prop B. V Manjunath, 7/25-1 Wards In Uppar Nandi Village and Post, Dobbaspur Tq – 562 111, 2)Borrower Mr. B. V Manjunath : Prop Nandi Wires, Nandi Village and Post, Doddaballi – 562 111, 3)Authorised Signatory Mr. M Ashwathnarayana Gowda, Mundenyakanahalli Village, Devanahalli – 562 110 (Guarantor).	Rs. 30,22,690.34 (Thirty Lakhs Twenty Two Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Nine Paise Seventy Four Only) as on 22.07.2022 with further interest and cost thereon	29/08/2022, 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM

Description of the immovable assets: 1 The Leasehold Site No 27 Khata No. 3 Old No. 3356/5488, Present Khata No. 2183/3385 and 2183/2/5958/2 Site No 27, Situated at ... 4th village Panchayat, 40th ward, Doddaballapura Town Bengaluru Rural District, Measuring East West 30 Feet North South 40 Feet, with the following boundaries Bounded by: Easterly Site No 28, Northly : Road, Southly : Site No 26

Reserve Price : Rs. 19,50,000/- EMD: Rs. 1,95,000/-

2. Khata No. 2183/2/5958/2, Situated at ... Ward, Hoskote Municipality, at Doddaballapura Town, Bengaluru Rural District, Measuring 2,501.5 SQ Meters Bounded by: Easterly : Property of Narayappa, West by : 3 Feet Lane, Northly : Property of Narayappa, South by : 6 Feet Kapara Sadak Road.

Reserve Price : Rs. 6,74,000/- EMD: Rs. 67,400/-

Incremental value at Bid : Rs.10,000/-

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For further details contact Canara Bank, Authorised Officer, Devanahalli Branch (Mobile: 9480530474, 9304785308, E-Mail ID : cb0474@canarabank.com; OR M/S CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD, No 218, J P Royale, 1st Floor, Sampige Road, Malleswaram, E-mail id - ...@...co.in, Contact Person - Mr.Sathishan K N / Mr. Ramesh T.H, Contact number - 9480591777 / 9886410010/ 8880531165/ 080-23469561/62/64/65.

Date : 22.07.2022
Place: Devanahalli

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BERHAMPUR

(E-Mails- serwbpr2004@yahoo.com, Tel/Fax:- 0680-2404207)
At:- Ambapua, Po:- Engineering School, Near Income Tax office, Berhampur-760011
No. e-tender // 2941 // RWC // BAM // Dated. 26.7.2022 E-Mail/ E-despatch

2nd Corrigendum to Bid Identification No. Online Tender/25-2022-23/BPR

0-733: The partial modification of building work vide above identification has been made as follows.

1	Date of availability of tender	::	05.08.2022 to 20.08.2022 upto 3.00 PM instead of 29.07.2022 to 12.08.2022.
2	Last Date & Time of seeking tender clarification	::	17.08.2022 at 2.00 PM instead of 10.08.2022 at 2.00 PM
3	Date of opening of Technical Bid.	::	22.08.2022 at 11.00 AM instead of 16.08.2022 at 11.00 AM
4	Date of opening of Financial Bid	::	Will be intimated later on.

All other contents will remain unchanged.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, R.W.Circle, Berhampur DIPR- 2507/V1/W045/2223

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BERHAMPUR

(E-Mails- serwbpr2004@yahoo.com, Tel/Fax:- 0680-2404207)
At:- Ambapua, Po:- Engineering School, Near Income Tax office, Berhampur-760011
0-735 No. e-tender // 2948 // RWC // BAM // Dated. 26.07.2022 E-Mail/ E-despatch

2nd Corrigendum to Bid Identification No. Online Tender/23-2022-23/PMGSY/BPR

The partial modification of road works under PMGSY (Balance work) vide above identification has been made as follows.

1	Date of availability of tender	::	08.07.2022 to 16.08.2022 upto 3.00 PM instead of 08.07.2022 to 30.07.2022 upto 3.00 PM.
2	Date of opening of Technical Bid.	::	17.08.2022 at 11.00 AM instead of 01.08.2022 at 11.00 AM
3	Date of submission of Original documents	::	22.08.2022 at 11.00 AM instead of 04.08.2022 at 11.00 AM
4	Date of opening of Financial Bid	::	Will be intimated later on.

All other contents will remain unchanged.

Sd/- P.K Jena, Chief Construction Engineer, R.W.Circle, Berhampur DIPR- 2507/V1/W046/2223

Possession Notice (For Immovable Property) Rule 8-(1)

... Demand Notice dated 21-07-2021 ... Rs. 27,37,573.00/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Seventy Three Only) ... Date of Possession: 20-07-2022 ... Branch: Hosur

For detailed terms and conditions please contact Authorised Officer or Branch Office: "ADAM CHAMBERS", 6th, Ramesh Road, Bangalore-560053 or Corporate Office: ... Bangalore. Date: 21-07-2022 Place: Bangalore (Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd.)

INDUSIND BANK LTD.

1-10-72, 3rd Floor, Ashoka Janardhana Chambers, Begumpet, Hyderabad - 500016. Ph: (040) 40816229

Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

The notice is issued by Indusind Bank Limited, the secured creditor under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and the Rules framed thereunder by Regd. Post with A/D and Ordinary mode which returned undelivered/ posted on 17.06.2022 to the Borrowers/ Mortgagors/ Guarantors (Notice issued under the Section 13(2) of the said Act with Section 13(13) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 as amended by any of the aforesaid modes which returned undelivered/ posted on 17.06.2022 to the Borrowers, Guarantors, Securities, Outstanding Dues, Demand, Notice Sent under Section 13(2) are mentioned hereinafter under respective columns.

Name and Address of the Borrowers: 1) M/s. Indi Furniture, Represented by its Partner, Mr. Ibrahim Basheer, Ind. Estate Area, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-560105. 2) Mr. G. Balaji, S/o. Krishnappa Gupta, Old 8 T1 Cross, Hosahalli Road, Doddakanya, Site No. 5, 3rd Main Road, Peenya Industrial Area, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore-560058. 3) Mr. Vinoth Gunasagaran, S/o. Gunasagaran Tamilan, No. 4, Ground Floor, Site No. 1, Hosa Gejjalagere Road, Bangalore-560062. 4) Mr. Gnanapura Gunasekaran, S/o. Gnanapura Sivaraj, No. 8, 1st Cross, Dasappa Thottam, Doddakanya, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore-560058. 5) Mrs. Bhoomy Bahl, W/o. Mr. G. Balaji, Old 8 T1 Cross, Hosahalli Road, Doddakanya, Peenya Industrial Area, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore-560058. 6) Mrs. R. Sankari, W/o. Mr. Vinoth Gunasagaran, No. 10, Tamil Sangam Road, Behind Hosa Gejjalagere Bus Stop, Bangalore-562107. all having their address at the premises of Rs.9,28,84,170 (Rupees Nine Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Eighty Four Thousand One Hundred Seventy and Paise Thirty One Only) as on 31-05-2022 ... together with further interest at the contractual rate of interest ... from 01.06.2022 ... till the date of payment ... within 60 days from the date of this notice failing which the Bank will proceed against the secured assets ... at the risk of the Borrower.

Description / Details of facilities sanctioned:

Sl.No.	Nature of facility with Loan account No.	Amount (Rs. in lac)
1	Credit Card No. [illegible]	200.00
2	Term Loan ... Loan A/c No. 5100274794[illegible]	364.21
3	Overdraft Property Credit Facility A/c No. 5100[illegible]	77.00
4	Bill Discounting Loan A/c No. 5100[illegible]	80.00
	Total	690.28

Details of Secured Assets : (HYPOTHECATED PROPERTIES) : Hypothecation by way of exclusive first charge on the entire current assets of the borrower comprising raw materials, stocks in process, finished goods, ... book debts, bills, stores and other movables, both present and future.

Total outstanding as mentioned in NPA Intimation Notice dated 09.06.2022 is Rs. 9,28,84,170.31 (Rupees Nine Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Eighty Four Thousand One Hundred Seventy and Paise Thirty One Only) together with further interest at the contractual rate of interest, charges, costs, expenses etc. from 01.06.2022 till the date of payment.

Date : 09.06.2022, Place: Bangalore — Sd/- Authorised Officer, Indusind Bank Ltd.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA UNDERTAKING)

Kannamangala Branch
Kannamangala Village and Post,
Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural-562110
Phone No. 8904511213
E-Mail: cb3300@canarabank.com

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(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower/Guarantor(s)	Total Liabilities	Date & Time of Auction	1) Reserve Price 2) EMD 3) Incremental Value
1.	(1) Sri. Narasimha Swamy, S/o Narasimha Swamy, Residential, Flat No. B-4256 N, Block 4th Floor, G Mantri Tranquility, Electronic City, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560099, Mobile No. - 9916654657 (2) Smt. Veda Vasini P, W/o Narasimha Swamy N, No 20 Flat No 3b 2nd Floor 3rd Main, K. Channa Reddy Layout, Kudlu Gate, Bengaluru-560067, Contact No. 9535884484 Guarantors: (1) Sri. Mohan G S/o Sri Gopala Rao N, # 2 Sai Madhuri Swamy Apts, 5th Cross Vanivilasapuri Layout, Pandurangapalya, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560076 Contact No. 9591077755 (2) Sri. Narasimha Swamy Prabhanath Rao Hotel No 1-2-, 2nd Floor Sun 2nd Stage, Bengaluru Karnataka-560078 And Also Available At: Sri. Narasimha Swamy, No 1-181 Mallur Village, Andhra Pradesh Mandal Andhra Pradesh-517404. (3) Smt. Veda Vandini P, No 1-181 Mallam Village, Kuppili Mandal Krishna Dt Andhra Pradesh-521304.	Rs. 23,27,196.87 (Twenty Three Lakhs Twenty Seven Thousand One Hundred Ninety Six Rupees and Eighty Seven Only) as on 21.07.2022 with further interest and cost thereon.	29/08/2022, 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM	1) Rs 24,75,000.00/- 2) Rs 2.47.500/- 3) Rs.10,000/-
2.	(1) Mr Sudhakara Shetty K S/o K Lakshmanna Shetty, No 58 Doddappanahalli, Kannamangala Post, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District-562110 And Also Available At: Mr Sudhakara Shetty K S/o K Lakshmanna Shetty, Flat No G2(I) In The Ground Floor, Sy No 46/3 Gerudu, Pelatur, Thirumanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North-560064 (2) Smt Latha S Shetty, W/o Sudhakara Shetty K, No 58 Doddappanahalli, Kannamangala Post, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dis. Pin-562110 (3) M/S Kaleeshwari Enterprises, Prop-Sudhakara Shetty K, By No 24a Muniswamy Building, Hennur Village, Bangalore 560043	Rs.76,51,318.94 (Seventy Six Lakhs Fifty One Thousand Three Hundred Eighteen Rupees and Paise Ninety Four only) as on 21.07.2022 with further interest and cost thereon.	29/08/2022, 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM	1) Rs 45,18,000.00/- 2) Rs 4.51.800/- 3) Rs.10,000/-

Description of the immovable assets: EMT with RCC Roof No 3-25 in the 2nd floor of the building with the super built up area of 1188 sqft in the building PID No. 24-24-AA-F-3-1255 ... being put by M/s Prahmanand Infrastructures, #1 M 2nd stage, Bangalore - 78 on vacant converted property known as Sy No 28/3 and 28/5 situated at Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South and standing in the name of said Borrower.

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For further details contact Smt. Shruthi K N, Canara Bank, Kannamangala Branch (Ph.No.8904511218), e-mail id cb3300@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/S CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD, No 218, J P Royale, 1st Floor, Sampige Road, Malleswaram, e-mail id - collection@cscl.co.in, Contact Person - Mr.Sathishan K M / Mr. Ramesh T.H, Contact number - 9480591777 / 9886531165 / 080-23469561/62/64/65, Pratap Kanjilal: 9832552602.

Date : 21.07.2022
Place: Kannamangala

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU MADURAI HIGHWAYS PROJECT CIRCLE

TENDER NOTICE

Tender Notice No. 1/2022-2023/SDO/Dated: 15.07.2022

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamil Nadu, **Percentage Tender under two cover system through online only** will be received upto **01.09.2022 15.00 hours** by the Superintending Engineer (H), Projects, Madurai Circle for the work of **"Formation of western Bypass road to Aruppukottai town starting at km.171/0 of NH 45B (New NH 38) and connecting SH 42 Srivilliputhur – Parthibanur road at km.61/6 and ends at km.179/6 of NH 45B (New NH 38) including Construction of Road Over Bridge"** pertaining to Tirunelveli (H),Projects Division

Details of work, approximate value of work, EMD, availability of tender documents and all other details are available from **03.08.2022** onwards in the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in.** If any Changes/Corrections in the tender, it will be published in the above Government website only.

Superintending Engineer (H)
Project, Madurai Circle

DIPR/3538/Tender/2022

"Everyone must help everyone, everyone must help everyone."

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THE WAY TO GET STARTED IS TO QUIT TALKING AND BEGIN DOING › WALT DISNEY

TATA ELXSI LIMITED
Registered Office: ITPB Road,Whitefield, Bengaluru Karnataka 560048
Notice is hereby given that the certificate for the undermentioned securities of Company has been lost and the holder of the said securities has applied to the Company to issue duplicate certificate. Any person who has a claim in respect of the said securities should lodge such claim with the Company at its Registered Office within 15 days from this date, else the Company will proceed to issue duplicate certificate without further information.
Name of holders :Suresh Antony / Antony George Joseph. Kind of Securities and face value: Equity, Rs 10/- No.of securities : 300
Distinctive numbers : 32000594-32000893
Place : Bengaluru
Date : 20.07.2022
Suresh Antony / Antony George Joseph

EAST COAST RAILWAY

e-Tender Notice No. ENTP&C/OTE/ WR/04/EGBH/2022, Dt: 22.07.2022
Name of the work: PROVISION OF ELECTRONIC INTERLOCKING BY REPLACING LEVER FRAMES AT A-CABIN, B-CABIN, B.H CABIN AND C-CABIN AT MARSHALING YARD AT WALTAIR DIVISION OF EAST COAST RAILWAY.
Approximate value of the work: ₹ 1164/-(Rupees One thousand one hundred sixty four only)
Tender closing/Validity date & time: 12.00 hrs. of 12.08.2022.
Further details regarding this Tender Notice can be obtained in the website mentioned below.
Complete information including e-tender documents is available in the website www.eprocure.gov.in
Note: The prospective tenderers are advised to visit the website of Electronic Tender System regularly for corrigendum / addendum / amendment issued in the interest of bidding.
Dy. Chief Signal & Telecom Engineer/Project, Waltair-530021 | Visit us on www.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Know all men by these presents that I, **SMT. VANDANA** R. D/O late Ramaswamy Reddy, W/o Muni Reddy residing at No 29, Kovil Public Square Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru - 560004, that I have lost all my original documents during my travel at Kadavanagudi Post Office on 25.06.2022. In respect of the property that is bearing No-07 (Old No-65-6-7) 33 Wall and Old No-65, Ward 172, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, BTM Layout, Bengaluru - 560068 with the property is measuring East to West: 13.20 mtrs and North to South: 28.5 mtrs East.
In this regard I have lodged a police complaint with Basavanagudi police on 05.07.2022 at 4.44 PM. Anyperson who finds the documents is hereby kindly be pleased to hand over the same to me immediately at the aforesaid address.
R. UMADEVI

Regional Office (South)
10&A, Chandrakiran, Kasturba Road, Bengaluru -560001
Phone : 080-22003240
Email: rosouthbangalore@unionbankofindia.bank

PREMISES REQUIRED

Union Bank of India requires a well constructed commercial premises in ready possession, on lease rental basis with clear visibility and adequate parking facility with the carpet area of 3,000 sq.ft (+/- 10%). The premises/ new premises should be located within 500mtrs. preferably in the ground floor or upper ground floor in and around the present premises in Kasturba Road, Bangalore for shifting or part of their Administrative Sections.
Interested owners or the persons who are authorised on behalf of owners can obtain the Technical Bids from the above office from 27.07.2022 on any working day within working hours or can download the same from the Bank's website www.unionbankofindia.co.in and NIC Portal https://eprocure.gov.in
The downloaded documents are to be submitted in separate sealed covers superscribed as **Technical Bid / Price Bid** and should reach to the above address on or before **16.08.2022 at 3.00PM**. Technical bids will be opened on the above address on **16.08.2022 at 4.00PM** in the presence of Owners/their representatives. While mentioning the rent it should cover all taxes except the GST. Only authorised owners may apply. Brokers/ Mediators shall not be entertained. Preference will be given for Public Sector Undertakings or Government/ Semi Government Buildings. Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the offers without assigning any reasons thereof.
Place : Bengaluru
Date: 27.07.2022
Sd/-
Deputy Regional Manager

Deputy Commissioner Office, Kolar District, Kolar

(District Urban Development Cell, Kolar)
Phone & Fax No.08152-243555
E-mail: pdkolar@gmail.com
No: DUDC-TECH-MUNICIPAL-NAGAROTHANA-(1)/OR(3)/5-2021-22 Date: 21.07.2022

Tender Notification

(As per the conditions of the standard tender document e-procurement tender notification)

Constructions of Roads, Drains & Other Infrastructure works in Srinivasapura TMC limits Item rate is invited in two bid cover system through e-procurement portal as per the GO. No.FD/06/PCL/2006, Bangalore from the Registered Eligible Contractors. GST 12% will be given extra on the said rate. For details visit **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** The Indent Numbers details below. Any addendums will be notified through e-Procurement only. **Work Indent No: DMA/2022-23/ OW/WORK INDENT/130161 Construction of Roads, drains & other infrastructure works to Srinivasapura TMC limits under Amrut Nagarothana-4 (Municipality).** Estimate Cost: **Rs.376.32 lakhs.** (1) Tender submission form through e-Procurement last date: **30.07.2022**, time 17.30. (2) Technical bids opening date: **02.09.2022**, time 10.00. (3) Financial bid opening date: **07.09.2022 time 10.00.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer
District Urban Development Cell
Kolar District

Wear Mask | Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

Karnataka Road Development Corporation Limited

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)

No: KRDCL/TFR/2022-23/ 1 Date: 25.07.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Karnataka Road Development Corporation Limited (KRDCL) proposes to take up the work of Construction of Ranga Overbridge Ch. 2.600 to 2.950, 7.600 & 8.400 km on Malleputa Kallugondi MDR and at Ch. 0.100 & 0.650 km on Shoonigere Singalageri MDR in Arasikere Taluk, Hassan District on Turnkey Basis Based on Tenderer's own Design AND Construction of Main Bridge at 0.100 km on Hosasale-Gadanahalli Road and improvements at road from Ch. 1.02 km to 4.20 km on Vajramahalli-Harihalli VDR Madhugiri Taluk, Bagalkot District under Item Rate Contract on two cover system. Interested Bidders can participate through e-procurement portal and documents can be downloaded from website https://eprocure.karnataka.gov.in the last date of receipt of tender is on 12.08.2022 upto 17.30 hours & technical bids will be opened on 16.08.2022 at 11.30 hours.

Note: Please note henceforth, any changes in the schedule will not be published through News Papers and for the changes if any, will be uploaded only in portal, KRDCL Website http://www.krdcl.in

Sd/- Chief Engineer
KRDCL, Bengaluru

DIPR/CA-1904/Tender/2022-23

Dhanlaxmi Bank

HRBR Branch, 3rd Division 5th cross, SAC, 454, Ground floor, 3rd Block, HRBR Layout, Bangalore- 560043

Office: Hyderabad, Telangana | Corporate Office: Thrissur

Rule 8(1) POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas the Undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Dhanlaxmi Bank Limited under the Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 25.03.2022 calling upon the borrower Mr. Shankar K S/o Late Sri Kuttappa K, Vasantnagar, Bangalore-560052 and Mr. Shankar K S/o Kumaran No.11, 7th B Cross, Jakkur E Layout, Yelahanka, Bangalore 560064 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being Rs. 55,82,115.72 (Rupees Fifty Five Lac Eighty Two Thousand One Hundred and Fifteen and Seventy Two Paise only as on 03.03.2022 with further interest and other charges thereon from the date of the said notice.
The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, on this 20th day of July 2022.
The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Dhanlaxmi Bank Limited for an amount of Rs. 58,57,018.72 (Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Forty Nine and paise Seventy Two Only) as on 19.07.2022 and the contractual charges thereon.
The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Immovable Property

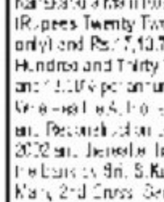
All that piece and parcel of property bearing No.4, Khatha No.70 comprised in the land bearing survey No.27/4 of ascribed Village Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 31 Feet and North to South: 60 Feet bounded by Site No.3, Property No.23 allotted to Mr. Ramesh, on the East; Site No.5, Property No.25 allotted to Mr. Ramesh, on the West; Site No.6, Property No.26 allotted to Mr. Ramesh, on the North; 30 Feet wide Road, on the South, with RCC terrace roof, plinth area: 1,116 Sq.Ft, Ground Floor, Residential Building, Flooring: Granite, Doors, Windows, Ventilators and other fittings and fixtures attached to the Property known as Shanthi Nilaya, Bounded by: East by Site No.3, Property No.23 allotted to Mr. Ramesh; West by Site No.5, Property No.25 allotted to Mr. Ramesh; North by Site No.6, Property No.26 allotted to Mr. Ramesh; South by 30 Feet wide Road.

Date: 20.07.2022
Place : Bangalore
Sd/- Authorised Officer
(Dhanlaxmi Bank Ltd)

SREENIDHI SOUHARDA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITHA

Head Office: No.113, R.V. Road, V.V. Puram, Bengaluru - 560 004
Ph: 080-26617100/26617104, E-mail: corp@sreenidhibank.com
Fax: 080-26615276, 26626666. Website: www.sreenidhibank.com

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE NOTICE



Sri.S.Kulandai Swamy | Smt.J.Ramya

Sale of Immovable Property Mortgaged to Bank Under Sec. (1) & (3) of Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No.54 of 2002) - SARFAESI ACT.
Whereas, Sri.S.Kulandai Swamy S/o Late Sankiyappa Reddy and Smt.J.Ramya W/o K.Sreenath Kumar both are Residing at No.99, 1st Main, 2nd Cross, Ravi Nilaya, Ramakrishna Garden, Attiguppe, 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078 have borrowed monies from Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Raghuvanahalli & Branch, No.812, Sy.No.822, 1st Floor, Vajarahalli, 100Feet Ring Road, Raghuvanahalli, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore-560062 and Jointly owe a sum of Rs.22,74,582+ (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Seventy Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety Two only) and Rs.7,10,733/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Thirteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty Three only) as on 26.07.2022 and further interest @ 14.00% and 2.00% per annum and costs thereon.
Whereas, the Authorised Officer of the Bank has issued demand notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 on Demand Notice dated 26.08.2022 to the borrowers and mortgagors of the Bank viz. Sri. S.Kulandai Swamy S/o Late Sankiyappa Reddy at No.99, 1st Main, 2nd Cross, Sreekki Garden, J.P.Nagar 6th Phase, Bangalore-560,078 and described hereinthe property described in Schedule hereunder below, as Rs.18,91,615/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Ninety One Thousand Six Hundred and Fifteen only) under rules 6 & 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

DETAILS OF SALE:

Place of Auction : Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, No.113, R.V.Road, V.V.Puram, Bengaluru-560004.
Date/Day & Time of Auction: 29/08/2022, Monday at 12.00 P.M.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing No.4, Khatha No.70 comprised in the land bearing survey No.27/4 of ascribed Village Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 31 Feet and North to South: 60 Feet bounded by Site No.3, Property No.23 allotted to Mr. Ramesh, on the East; Site No.5, Property No.25 allotted to Mr. Ramesh, on the West; Site No.6, Property No.26 allotted to Mr. Ramesh, on the North; 30 Feet wide Road, on the South, with RCC terrace roof, plinth area: 1,116 Sq.Ft, Ground Floor, Residential Building, Flooring: Granite, Doors, Windows, Ventilators and other fittings and fixtures attached to the Property known as Shanthi Nilaya, Bounded by: East by Site No.3, Property No.23 allotted to Mr. Ramesh; West by Site No.5, Property No.25 allotted to Mr. Ramesh; North by Site No.6, Property No.26 allotted to Mr. Ramesh; South by 30 Feet wide Road.

Reserve Price: Rs.51,20,000/-(Rupees Fifty One Lakh Fifty Thousand only)

Terms & Conditions of Auction:

1) For Participating in the auction the intending bidders have to deposit 10% of reserve price of the property by Bankers Cheque/Demand Draft favouring the Authorised Officer, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Payable at Bangalore (which must reach us before the Auction commences).
2) The Successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the bid amount immediately on the sale being knocked down in favour of the Bidder and in default the amount deposited by the bidder shall be forfeited by the Authorised Officer without any notice.
3) The successful bidder shall bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance such as Stamp duty, Registration fee etc., as applicable and as per law.
4) The Authorised Officer will not be held responsible for any charges, fee, etc., which may be claimed by any person in respect of the property sold by the Bank.
5) The Authorised Officer has the absolute right to accept or reject the bid or postpone/cancel the auction without assigning any reason thereof.
6) The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank.
7) The auction of the property will be made as per the above order at the discretion of the Authorised Officer.
8) For inspection of property, the intending bidder may contact, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Raghuvanahalli Branch, No.812, Sy No.822, 1st Floor, Vajarahalli, 100Feet Ring Road, Raghuvanahalli, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore-560062 during the office hours or may contact at telephone No.080-28435152/28435153/9035265694

Sd/-
Date: 28.07.2022
Place : Bangalore
Authorised Officer,
Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed not to deal in any manner with the property described in the schedule hereunder belonging to Sri. B.S. MANJUNATH, S/o. late B.Siddalingaiah, residing at No.1, 3rd Cross, Ramakrishnaiah Block, Kengeri Satellite Town, Bangalore-560 060 (hereinafter referred to as the Owner) as the same is mortgaged with the Canara Bank, Kengeri Satellite Town Branch, Bangalore-560 060 (hereinafter referred to as the Bank) and the Bank has filed O.A.No.1107/2021 before the Debts Recovery Tribunal-I, Bangalore against the Owner and others for recovery of Rs.68,47,251.27 (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakh Forty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Fifty One Rupees Twenty Seven Paise Only) as on 16.01.2022 with further interest and costs and the said application is pending for admission before the Debts Recovery Tribunal-I, Bangalore and the Bank has obtained an order of attachment before judgment in the said O.A. and the Owner has committed breach of the terms and conditions of the said order of attachment before judgment and the Bank is entitled to bring to sale the schedule property for realisation of the amount due to the Bank from the Owner and others in the said O.A. and the Owner is not entitled to deal with the schedule property in any manner whatsoever and any dealings with the schedule property is void and not binding on the Bank and the Bank is entitled to bring to sale the schedule property in the said O.A. and the Owner is not entitled to deal with the schedule property in any manner whatsoever and any dealings with the schedule property is void and not binding on the Bank and the Bank is entitled to bring to sale the schedule property in the said O.A.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that residential property consisting of site No.1, Municipal Door No.13 (Old No.1) HEBBAL, Municipal Ward No.19 (Old No.1) Ward No.1 HEBBAL, Bangalore, measuring East to West 30 feet, North to South 60 feet, bounded on the East by Site No.2, on the West by Site No.4, on the North by 30 feet wide Road, on the South by Site No.3, with RCC roofed building, Ground Floor, Residential House No.13 (Old No.1)

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA UNDERTAKING)

Hoskote Branch
K.R. Road, Kammavari Pete, Hoskote -562114
Ph: 080-278 31379 / 8553622985

E-Auction Sale Notice under SARFAESI Act 2002

E Auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and reconstruction of financial assets and enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to rule 8(5) of the security Interest (Enforcement) rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers and Guarantors particularly that the undermentioned properties mortgaged to Canara Bank, Hoskote Branch, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under Section 13(4) of the Act will be sold by E-Auction on the date mentioned below for recovery of dues of M/s. Rudra Enterprises and others, as detailed below. The reserve price and earnest money deposit are also detailed below.

The Properties described hereunder are being sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE IS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS" under rule 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter referred to as the rules) for the recovery of the dues as detailed as under.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits are as mentioned under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before 25/08/2022 at 5.00 pm by way of DD favouring Authorised Officer Canara Bank, Hoskote Branch or through online payment to Account No 209272434, IFSC CODE CNRB0005526.

(Rs in Lakhs)

	Name of the Borrower/Guarantor(s)	Total Liabilities	Date & Time of Auction	1)Reserve Price 2)EMD 3)Incremental Value
1	a. Mr. Siddaraju S/o. Shri. Devanarasaiah, At/Post/Via Hosakerehalli(P), Hoskote, Bangalore-562114 b. Mr.Manjunatha A, S/o late Anjanappa, At. Doddathur (V), Dasarahalli (P), Hoskote, Bangalore-562114	Rs.8,78,213.00 (Eight Lakhs Seventy-Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Thirteen Only) as on 25.07.2022 and further interest thereon	29/08/2022, 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM	1) Rs.51,16,000/- 2) Rs.5,11,600/- 3) Rs.10,000/-

Details and full description of immovable property with known encumbrances, if any: EC-all that piece and parcel of the property bearing Khata No.218, property No.235/3 Khata No.254 and property No.519, property No.264/3 Khata No.433 totally measuring East to West 407 feet North to South 556 feet, all that piece and parcel of Converted land in Sy.No.64/2, situated at Kasaba Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded by the lands of M/S Lakshmi Silk Sri. Devanahalli Boundaries as per valuation report are bounded as- East by Road, West by Khata No.519, South by Khata No.264, North by Khata No.433, Sy.No.64/2, Hoskote Village, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded by the lands of M/S Lakshmi Silk Sri. Devanahalli Boundaries as per valuation report are bounded as- East by Road, West by Khata No.519, South by Khata No.264, North by Khata No.433

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For further details contact Sri V. V. Bhaskaram, Canara Bank, Hoskote Branch (Ph No. 8553622985),e-mail id: cb5915@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/S CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD,No 218,J P Royale,1st Floor, Sampige Road,Malleswaram, e-mail id - eauction@canbank.com,Contact Person - Mr.Sudhirkiran K M / Mr. Ramesh T.H,Contact Number-9480631777/8050531165/080-23469661/6216465, Pratap Kandi(M) 9032952602

Date : 21.07.2022
Place: Hoskote

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA UNDERTAKING)

KODIGEHALLI BRANCH
Kodigehalli Branch, Kodigehalli Taluk, Bangalore -562114 (Ph.No 9448583072)
E-Mail : cb4434@canarabank.com.

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Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers and Guarantors particularly that the undermentioned properties mortgaged to Canara Bank, Kodigehalli Branch, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under Section 13(4) of the Act will be sold by E-Auction on the date mentioned below for recovery of dues mentioned below as detailed below with interest, Charges and cost as detailed below.

The Properties described below is being sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE IS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS" under rule 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter referred to as the rules) for recovery of the dues as detailed as under.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before 25.08.2022 at 5.00 pm by way of DD favouring Authorised Officer Canara Bank, Kodigehalli Branch or through online payment to Account No.209272434, IFSC CODE : CNRB0004434

	Name of the Borrower/Guarantor(s)	Total Liabilities	Date & Time of Auction	1)Reserve Price 2)EMD 3)Incremental Value
1	A) Mr.Nagesh Reddy, R/o. Old Postoffice, 6th Cross, Doddamurthi Post, Bangalore North-560064. B) M/s. Prajwal Solar Systems, Prop. Mr.Nagesh Reddy, R/o. Doddamurthi Patel Bangalore North-560064.	Rs.1,15,44,548.59 (One Crore Fifteen Lakh Forty Four Thousand Five Hundred and Forty Eight and Fifty Nine Paise only) as on 13/07/2022 plus further interest and cost thereon	29/08/2022 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM	1) Rs.37,83,000/- 2) Rs.3,78,300/- 3) Rs.10,000/-

Description of the Immovable Assets : All that the property bearing Khata No.228/11, 6+1, measuring 40'X60' east facing single house situated at the revenue Ananda Guru Panchayat, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bounded as per valuation report/title deed - East by Road, West by Site No.510, North by Site No.504, South by Site No. 512

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For further details contact Authorised Officer Canara Bank, Kodigehalli Branch (Ph.No. 9448583072), e-mail id: cb4434@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/S CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD,No 218,J P Royale, 1st Floor, Sampige Road,Malleswaram, E- Mail ID - eauction@canbank.com, Contact Person - Mr.Sudhirkiran K M / Mr. Ramesh T.H, Contact Number-9480631777/8050531165/080-23469661/6216465, Pratap Kandi(M) 9032952602

Date : 21.07.2022
Place: kodigehalli

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)

Kengeri Satellite Town Branch
1st A Main Rd, Stage II,
Kengeri Satellite Town, Bengaluru,
Karnataka 560060, Tel: 080-28487944/7944
E-mail: cb2350@canarabank.com

POSSESSION NOTICE

[SEC 13(4) 13(1)
(For Immovable Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank, Kengeri Satellite Town Branch under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 17/05/2022 calling upon the Borrowers Mrs. Radha W/o Chikkanna and Mr. Chikkanna S/o Nanjappa to repay the amount mentioned in the notice of the notice sum Rs.14,52,848/-(Fourteen Lakh Fifty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Nine Rupees Only) as on 16/05/2022 with further interest, Incidental within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the 25th day of July of the year 2022.

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Canara Bank, Kengeri Satellite Town Branch for an amount of Rs.14,18,948/- (Fourteen Lakh Fifty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Nine Rupees Only) as on 16/05/2022 with further interest thereon.

The borrowers attention is invited to the provisions of section 13(8) of the Act in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property : All that Part and Parcel of the residential property bearing Site No.1, converted vide Sy.No.77/1, 77/2, 78/1, 78/2 situated at Anchepalya Village, Kengeri, Bangalore South Taluk measuring East to West 30 Feet 4 Inches to South 30 Feet 4 Inches(30'4) and East to West on the Eastern Side 30 Feet North to South 30 Feet 4 Inches(30'4) and bounded on the

Boundaries: East by: Site No.76 (Vacant), West by: Site No.74, North by: Site No.78, South by: Road

Date : 25.07.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby informed that my client Mr. Anupam D.R. S/o Sri Sambhu Behera Shivaramu, is the owner of property bearing Site No. 201/1A, 2nd Cross, Sri. M. Venkatesh Reddy Layout, Kothanur, Bangalore-560077, bounded by: On the East by: Site No. 201/1B, On the West by: Site No. 201/1A, On the North by: 40' wide Road, On the South by: Site No. 201/1B, measuring East to West: 30'0" and North to South: 40'0" totally measuring to an extent of 1200 Sq.ft. and the said property is in the name of Mr. Anupam D.R. S/o Sri Sambhu Behera Shivaramu, vide Sale Deed dated 12.08.2022 registered as Document No. 1-2 in Book-1 in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Kothanur, Bangalore. The said property is free from all encumbrances, charges, liens, lis pendens, mortgages, litigations, attachments, claims, demands, trusts, gifts, bequests, leases, tenancies, licenses, agreements, easements, rights, prior sales, exchanges, partitions, etc. Any person or persons having any claim, demand, right, title or interest in the said property by way of sale, mortgage, lease, lien, gift, inheritance, exchange, partition, trust, bequest, tenancy, license, easement, maintenance, charge, encumbrance, attachment, decree, order, agreement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at the address mentioned below within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, my client will proceed to complete the transaction without reference to such claim and the same shall be deemed to have been waived and abandoned.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of agricultural land measuring 1 acre 00 Gunta in Sy. No. 113/3, in Sy. No. 113/1, 113/2, 113/3, 113/4, 113/5, 113/6, 113/7, 113/8, 113/9, 113/10, 113/11, 113/12, 113/13, 113/14, 113/15, 113/16, 113/17, 113/18, 113/19, 113/20, 113/21, 113/22, 113/23, 113/24, 113/25, 113/26, 113/27, 113/28, 113/29, 113/30, 113/31, 113/32, 113/33, 113/34, 113/35, 113/36, 113/37, 113/38, 113/39, 113/40, 113/41, 113/42, 113/43, 113/44, 113/45, 113/46, 113/47, 113/48, 113/49, 113/50, 113/51, 113/52, 113/53, 113/54, 113/55, 113/56, 113/57, 113/58, 113/59, 113/60, 113/61, 113/62, 113/63, 113/64, 113/65, 113/66, 113/67, 113/68, 113/69, 113/70, 113/71, 113/72, 113/73, 113/74, 113/75, 113/76, 113/77, 113/78, 113/79 and 113/80 situated at Kasaba Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded by the lands of Sri. Ramesh Babu, Sri. Ramesh, Sri. Ramesh, Sri. Ramesh

DOCUMENTS LOST

I, SANCHITA BATH, residing at Flat No. 201, GP Residency, 24th Main, Ramakrishna Garden, JP Nagar, Bangalore-78 do hereby inform to the general public that on 08-04-2022 I have lost my documents of my property standing File No.201, vide Doc. No. 2494/2015-2016, situated Flat no. 201 in Apartment building known as GP Residency, with super built up area of 1100 sqft. Inspite of my best efforts I could not trace the documents in my custody. I have lodged a complaint at Police Cmd. Bangalore City, vide Lost report No. 32-1670/2022.

If anybody finds the above said documents or is in possession, please handover the same to the above said address or contact me on 8010026977 - SANCHITA BATH.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PETITIONER: K.N. Purshothama Kumar s/o. Nanje Kumar, K.N. Bharath, K.N. Raghavendra, Ramesh Haridhara K.R, Kumari Harshitha K.R.

The Petitioners hereby NOTIFIED that land comprised in Sy.No. 216 of Kengeri, presently in Sy. No. 47/1/2012 on the file of City Civil Court against Mr. Surajmal Jain & Mr. Sureshchand Jain for Permanent Fraud, public are warned not to deal with Mr. Surajmal Jain & Mr. Sureshchand Jain, in respect of land bearing Sy.No. 216 of Kempegowdanapalya Village, Anjanapura Post, Kengeri, R & I to property of Late NARASIMHAIAH & OTHERS

Sd/- M. Shivaprakash, Advocate
Gandhi Nagar, Bangalore - 560 009.
Bengaluru, Date: 27.07.2022

IN THE COURT OF THE 14th ADDITIONAL CITY METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE COURT, BENGALURU

Crl. Misc. No. 3054/2022

Petitioner/Complainant:
Vs.
Respondent: The Commissioner
Represented by The Commissioner, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Mahadevapura Zone, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

In the matter of Petition filed by the petitioner u/s 21 Rule 3 of Karnataka Municipal Corporation (Property Tax) Rules, 2007 r/w Section 321 of the Karnataka Municipal Corporations Act, 1976 for the issuance of Khata Certificate in respect of property bearing Sy.No. 216/1 of Kempegowdanapalya Village, Anjanapura Post, Kengeri, R & I Hobli, Bengaluru.

Sd/- By the Order of Hon'ble Court,
Sd/- Assistant
14th Addl. City Metropolitan Magistrate
Court, Mayo Hall, Bengaluru City

Sri. Girish B. B, Advocate
No. 561, Chikkalasandra Main Road, Vidyaranyapura Post, Bengaluru - 560 097
Mob: 9535XXXX49

PUBLIC NOTICE

PETITIONER: K.A. Parthasarathi, H. Nagaraju, K.A. Devaraju, Puttaraju, K.R. Gangadhara.

The Public are hereby NOTIFIED that the Karnataka Housing Board, vide Resolution dated 31.10.2002 in the Meeting of Sub-Committee of Board, Regularized the area from Karnataka Housing Board, Mr. Surajmal Jain & Mr. Sureshchand Jain have no right or claim or any right, title in the property bearing Sy.No. 216/1 of Kempegowdanapalya Village, Anjanapura Post, Kengeri, Bengaluru City with Petition No. 14696-2002 is pending before the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka.

Sd/- M. Shivaprakash, Advocate
Sarathi nagar, Bangalore - 560 079
Bengaluru, Date: 27.07.2022

CORRIGENDUM

In the Sale Notice Dated 21.07.2022 published in NTA Accts. Mis. SP AND CO., dated 21.07.2022 published in Indian Express & Kannada Prabha Page on 21.07.2022 in Bangalore edition in the A/c of M/s. SP AND CO. In the above terms of the PROPERTY ID of the ITEM no. 2 is erroneously mentioned as IDIB30129683203 1A instead of IDIB30129683203 1B. So general public are requested to read correct property ID as IDIB30129683203 1B.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Indian Bank, SAM Branch, Bengaluru

GREATER VISAKHAPATHAM MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

Tender Notice No.03/2022-23/GVMC/CE/SE/P-III/EE(PD-IV)/DE/Dt:25-07-2022

1.Number of Works	:	01 (One)
2.Value of works (ECV)	:	Rs.178.85 Lakhs
3.Down loading Starting Date	:	25-07-2022 @ 10.00 PM
4.Down loading End Date	:	10-08-2022 @ 3.00 PM
5.Last date for Submission of bid	:	10-08-2022 @ 4.00 PM

Note: Further details at http://www.apeprocurement.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Engineer, GVMC
Sd/- Executive Engineer, DO-IV, Division

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POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the Authorised Officer of Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited, under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice under the Section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the following borrower(s)/ Legal Heir(s)/ Legal Representative(s) to pay the amounts mentioned against their respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within 60 days from the date of the said Notices, in the detailed business hours, alongwith all the other pay as per the said notice.

Sl. No.	Name of Borrower (s)/ Legal Heir(s) and Legal Representative(s)	Outstanding Dues	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession	Description of The Property
1	Mr. Ashraf Hussain Tayyeb (Borrower) Mrs. Sadiya Tayyeb Jasani (Co-Borrower-1) and M/S Quinn India (Co-Borrower-2)	Rs.1,10,12,389/- (Rupees One Crore Ten Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Three Hundred and Eighty Nine Only) due as on 30.06.2022	25.07.2021	26.07.2022 Symbolic	Schedule- A: All that piece and parcel of residentially converted lands measuring an extent of 3 Acres 5 Guntas comprised in Sy.No.111/1 of Sonnenahalli Village, Yelahanka, Bangalore East Taluk, (formerly Bangalore North Taluk) (converted vide Official Memorandum bearing No. ALN(P)/HQ/SR/12/2011-12, dated: 03.05.2012 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), and comprised in the Property Sy.No.47/1 of Sonnenahalli Village, Yelahanka, Bangalore North Taluk, Sonnenahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Sonnenahalli Village, Sonnenahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Sonnenahalli Village. Schedule- B: 0.025% undivided share, right, title and interest in Schedule A property measuring about 1811.05 Sq. ft. in the said Schedule. Schedule- C: Residential Apartment bearing No.202 in 2nd Floor 3 BHK (UDS-1414 Sq.ft.) type admeasuring about 1100 Sq.ft. in the said built up area of 1535 sq.ft. together with one open car parking space with proportionate share of 302 sq. feet of undivided share, right title and interest in the land bearing Sy.No.47/1, 47/2, 47/3, 47/4, 47/5, 47/6, 47/7, 47/8, 47/9, 47/10, 47/11, 47/12, 47/13, 47/14, 47/15, 47/16, 47/17, 47/18, 47/19, 47/20, 47/21, 47/22, 47/23, 47/24, 47/25, 47/26, 47/27, 47/28, 47/29, 47/30, 47/31, 47/32, 47/33, 47/34, 47/35, 47/36, 47/37, 47/38, 47/39, 47/40, 47/41, 47/42, 47/43, 47/44, 47/45, 47/46, 47/47, 47/48, 47/49, 47/50, 47/51, 47/52, 47/53, 47/54, 47/55, 47/56, 47/57, 47/58, 47/59, 47/60, 47/61, 47/62, 47/63, 47/64, 47/65, 47/66, 47/67, 47/68, 47/69, 47/70, 47/71, 47/72, 47/73, 47/74, 47/75, 47/76, 47/77, 47/78, 47/79, 47/80, 47/81, 47/82, 47/83, 47/84, 47/85, 47/86, 47/87, 47/88, 47/89, 47/90, 47/91, 47/92, 47/93, 47/94, 47/95, 47/96, 47/97, 47/98, 47/99, 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Physical Possession	Rs.27,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakhs Only) Rs.2,70,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Seventy Thousand Only)	07.09.2022 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM
2	Mr. John Paul (Borrower) Mrs. Sandra Kumar (Co-Borrower) Loan Acc No: 620467143 & 620426253	Rs.28,58,252/- in Loan Account No.620467143 and Rs.1,02,128/- in Loan Account No.620426253 totally amounting to Rs.29,60,380/-(Rupees Twenty Nine Lakh Sixty Thousand Three Hundred and Eighty Only) due as on 31.07.2019	25.07.2021	26.07.2022 Symbolic	All that piece and parcel of residential apartment unit i.e., FLAT No. 304, on the 3rd floor having super built up area 902 sq.ft. and UDS of 429 sq.ft. with one covered car parking in the building known as 'OCEANUS VIOLA' in schedule property Survey Number 6/3/4, Formerly No.102/3/4, New No. 102/3/4 Sarjapur Town Sarjapur Hobli, Bengaluru.	Physical Possession	Rs.27,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakhs Only) Rs.2,70,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Seventy Thousand Only)	07.09.2022 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM
3	Mr. Muniyappa Ramesh (Borrower) Loan Acc No: 628652232	Rs.41,96,880/-(Rupees Forty One Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Only) due as on 30.06.2019	25.07.2021	26.07.2022 Symbolic	All that piece and parcel of Residential Two Bedroom Apartment bearing Flat No. 208 on the 2nd floor of the building known as 'OMEGA ASTER' having super built area 1170 sq.ft. And UDS of 321 sq.ft. (undivided right, title and interest) with one covered car parking space in the building, situated on Survey No. 00, Yelenahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore.	Physical Possession	Rs.40,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Lakhs Only) Rs.4,00,000/- (Rupees Four Lakhs Only)	07.09.2022 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM
4	Mr. Chandrashekar M P (Borrower) Mrs. Lathamani C. S. (Co-Borrower) Account Nos: 620674410, 620619327 and 621591747	Rs.22,62,250/- in Loan Account No.620674410, Rs.22,05,240/- in Loan Account No.620619327 and Rs.1,37,842/- in Loan Account No.621591747 totally amounting to Rs.46,05,132/-(Rupees Forty Six Lakhs Five Thousand One Hundred and Thirty Two Only) due as on 28.02.2019	All that piece and parcel of land, measuring Khane number Plot 20/24/2, House 20/24/2 in Ram Nagar, Shyamanahalli Village, District: Ramnagar, Kolaja Hobli, East to West 35 feet, North to South – 50 feet, cumulatively measuring 1855 sq. ft. or plot size are consisting thereon bounded by: East by: Government Road, West by: Property of Chikka Gowramma, alias Sannamma W/o Subbalingaiah, North by: Road, South by: Thimmaiah's House	Physical Possession	Rs. 47,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Seven Lakhs Only) Rs.4,70,000/- (Rupees Four Lakhs Seventy Thousand Only)	07.09.2022 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM

1. Inspection Date & Time: 13.08.2022 and 20.08.2022 between 11.AM TO 4.PM
2. Minimum bid increment amount: Rs.20,000/-
3. EMD Amount Submission on or before: 05.09.2022 before 5 PM

Together with further interest @ 18% p.a. as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred up to the date of payment and realisation thereof.

For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with Mr. Yogesh. N Shridhar Chinni official of HDFC Limited through Tel No.080-41132283, 080-41132126/9448080072.

To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorised Officer of HDFC Ltd, there are no encumbrances in respect of the above immovable properties/ Secured Assets.

Date: 27.07.2022
Place: Bengaluru

For Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd.
Sd/- Authorised Officer, under SARFAESI Act, 2002

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
HDFC Ltd. under SARFAESI Act, 2002

Chola — CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED

Corporate Office: 1st Floor, Dare House, Door No.2, N.S.C. Bose Road, Chennai-600001
Branch Office: Municipal No.46, CMC Nos. 46/1, 45/1, Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru - 560 027
Branch Office Lakshmi Arcade No.3, 2nd Floor, Upstairs, 1st, Uttarahalli Main Road, Rajalakshmi Nagar, Kadirenahalli Post, Peenya, Bengaluru-560078
Contact No.: M/s.Jamuna Rani, Mob. No.99804 90222

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Co-Borrower (s) mentioned hereinbelow that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited** (hereinafter referred to as **"Chola"**), the Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis** through E-Auction.

The sale will be conducted through the Bank's approved service provider **M/s. Chola Sauchna** at the website **https://bankauctions.in/**

Account No. and Name of Borrower, Co-Borrowers	Date & Amount as per Demand Notice U/s 13(2)	Description of the property	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Increment Amount	E-Auction Date and Time / EMD Submission Last Date / Inspection Date
**KHHEBANN00203

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client proposes to purchase the below mentioned House Property bearing Municipal No. 44 (New) 52/44, situated in 46th Cross, 5th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore, Karnataka, standing in the name of Schedule Property owners namely Smt. Nirmala Swamy, Smt. Kiran Swamy, Smt. Anupama Kumar, Sri. Mahesh Swamy. Any Person or persons having any right, title, interest or claim in the Schedule Property or any part thereof by whatsoever mode or having any claim against the Schedule Property or the owners thereof or against the owners shall sign for the proper intimation and call upon to provide Sign. along with supporting documentary evidence, within seven days from the date of this publication failing which, claims if any claims received after the same will not be considered by my client and my client will proceed to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property and no claims whatsoever in connection with or in respect of the Schedule Property will be entertained.

Schedule Property: All that House Property (Our House) bearing Municipal No. 44 (Old No. 52/44) of the extent measuring 3'6" East to West and 40'6" North to South (Eastern Portion) measuring 3350 Sq.Ft., and with 11'6" East to West and 17'10" North to South (Western Portion) measuring 4480 Sq.Ft. Both standing on the East by Property bearing No. 51/1, West by Property bearing No. 47/1, North by Road, South by Property bearing Municipal No. 44 (New) 52/44 in 46th Cross 5th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore, Karnataka, together with undivided share in the Schedule Property and Ground Floor with built up area of 500 Sq.Ft.

R. Ravi Shankar, Advocate
Veeksha Law LLP
61, Eshwari Nivas, 1st Main, 3rd Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560 011

Government of Karnataka

OFFICE OF THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROJECT OFFICER, BASAVAKALYAN

(Women and Child Development Department)

No: CDPBKW/CDI/ODS/EgpTender/2022-23 Date : 25.07.2022

E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE

1) Tender Reference Nos: Nos. DWCD/2022-23/e-tender/03, 2) Date of Commencement of Downlode of Tender Document from eProcurement website http://eprocure.karnataka.gov.in : From 25.07.2022 3) Date, Time & Venue of Pre-bid Meeting: 16.08.2022 at 11:00 AM at the following venue: Office of the Child Development Project Officer Basavakalyan Department of Women and Child Development Civil Hospital Behind Gadiga Math Road Basavakalyan Tulu Basavakalyan District Bidar Karnataka - 585327, 4) Last Date and Time for uploading Online Queries in eProcurement Portal : 16.08.2022 up to 05:00 PM 5) Last Date and Time for uploading of e-tender in eProcurement portal: 26.08.2022 up to 5:00 PM, 6) Date and Time of Online Opening of Technical Bids : 29.08.2022 11:00 AM, 7) Time and Time of opening of Financial Bids: 30-08-2022 11:00 AM, 8) Place of opening of Tenders: eProcurement Portal, 9) Address for Communication: Office of the Child Development Project Officer Basavakalyan Department of Women and Child Development Civil Hospital Behind Gadiga Math Road Basavakalyan Tulu Basavakalyan, District Bidar Karnataka - 585327 Email: cdpobasavkalyan@gmail.com Tel.No. 08157-250112

Sd/- Child Development Project Officer,
Basavakalyan

DIFP/Block/1564/MC&W/2022-23

Canara Bank

ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT -1 BRANCH BANGALORE – 560 001
PH: 080 - 25310066 E-mail Id: cb2366@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

Auction sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Rule 8 (6) and Rule 9 (1) proviso to the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public and in particular to the Borrowers and Guarantors that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the secured creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Canara Bank, Financial Services Branch, Bangalore (the Canara Bank, the secured creditor) in the matter of "Mortgage Loan" as mentioned hereinafter, "As is where is" and "Whatever there is" on 11.08.2022 (10.00 AM to 1.00 PM) for recovery of Rs.278,01,23,221.21 (Rupees two hundred seventy eight crore one lakh twenty three thousand two hundred twenty one and twenty one paise only) as on 11.08.2022 plus further interest and cost thereon due to the Bank from (1) M/s. Diamond Incredible Ltd., No. 17/1, 4th Floor, CASA Grande, Vittal Street, Ashoknagar, Bangalore - 560025, 2. Sri Mahendra Kumar Gupta, Co-obligant, No.44 Sector 3, Sri Parwati Kumar Gupta, Sector 3, Plot No.44, Near Bata Chowk, Sri Nagar Colony, Sri Nagar Colony, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 073, 3. Smt. Neelam Gupta, Co-obligant, No.44 Sector 3, Near Bata Chowk, Sri Nagar Colony, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 073, 4. Smt. Nisha Gupta, Co-obligant, Bangalore - 560001.

The reserve price and earnest money deposit are mentioned and the earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before 10.08.2022 at 5:00 PM by way of DD drawn in favour of "Canara Bank A/c No. in favour of the Account No. 2332204434 [IFSC CNRB0000332] at Bangalore.

Sl. No.	Description of the Immovable assets	Reserve Price (Rs. In Lakhs)	EMD (Rs. In Lakhs)	Inspection Date & Time
1	Sold at Sy No. 195, Hoginakuppe Village, Begur Hobli, Electronic City Industrial Area, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring 2 acres 1 guntas (Property No. Land Bearing Khata No. 1 of Sri. Chandrashekhara Reddy S/o Late Narayana Reddy, Sy No. 195, Hoginakuppe Village, Begur Hobli, Electronic City Industrial Area, Bangalore South Taluk, currently bearing Khata No. 1	2558.00	255.80	1.00

Encumbrances known to the Bank: Nil as per Information provided by the Borrower

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the E-Auction Tender Document available at www.canarabank.com or https://canarabank.auctiontiger.net or contact the Chief Manager, ARM-1 Branch, Bangalore, Canara Bank, Tel. No. 080-25310066 during working days.

Date : 25.07.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

MANAPPURAM FINANCE LTD.

GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

The borrowers is requested, and be public in general, are hereby notified that, pledged in the below accounts is proposed to be conducted on the aforesaid branches on 16/08/2022 from 12.00 noon onwards. The auction of the gold ornaments of defaulted borrowers who have failed to renew payment of their loan amount despite being notified by registered letters. Unredeemed items shall be auctioned on any other day without any further notice. Reserve price is fixed on the basis of market price of the gold on the case of auction or the 85% of the average 30 days DA rate whichever is higher. Change in venue/date if any will be displayed at the auction centre and on the company website. The details given below are in the order of Branch Name, Loan Number, Customer Name, Total Due/Amount, & Item Name

List of pledges -

HASSAN BANAVARA HASSAN, 15281000468721, SHIVAKUMAR, 29884, FINGER RINGS 1, 8741, SHANKARAVILU HV, 175770, FINGER RINGS 1, 8741, 8491, HOSHE, 81559, NECKLACE 1, 8225, HARSHA, 227479, CHAIN 1, 8241, RATHNA, 89380, DROPS & STUD 2, LOCKET 2, 8242, SUNIL K P, 84694, S. U 2, 8251, SHIDHARAS R, 71124, DROPS & STUD 2, 8243, VISHNU S, 8000, DROPS 2, 8319, SHIVAKUNTHALA, 167124, FINGER RINGS 1, 8277, KUDIRA, 183034, DROPS & STUD 2, 8412, DAYSHAN, 116000, STUD 2, 8414, DARSHAN, 15000, FINGER RINGS 1, 8418, VENKATES, 34374, FINGER RINGS 1, STUD 2, 8454, ASHOKA, 20000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8467, KANTHARAJU, 59000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8476, KUMARA C, 98800, CHAIN 1, 8480, SHASHIDHARA S R, 137000, FINGER RINGS 2, 8490, BRAHMA PASHA, 16000, DROPS 2, FINGER RINGS 1, 8496, MAHAMAD SADIK, 26000, DROPS & STUD 2, FINGER RINGS 2, 8497, MAHAMAD SADIK, 197000, CHAIN 1, DROPS & STUD 2, FINGER RINGS 1, NECKLACE 2, 8498, NARASIMHAMURTHY J P, 20840, FINGER RINGS 1, 8499, DARSHAN, 12000, DROPS 2, STUD 2, 8514, ANNAPPA, 15045, FINGER RINGS 1, 8524, JAYANNA B M, 7000, DROPS 2, 8530, MAHESHAPPA, 48500, BRACELET 1, DROPS 2, 8545, JAYDES H K N, 147000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8547, MAHALAKSHMI, 50000, DROPS 2, DROPS & STUD 2 FINGER RINGS 1, 8561, KUMARASWAMY C S, 34500, FINGER RINGS 1, 1326070302375, DEEPAHARATHI, 140180, STUD 2, 8605, VISHWANATH C S, 21000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8654, MAHESHA, 85180, FINGER RINGS 1, STUD 2, 8494, ASOKA, 20000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8467, KANTHARAJU, 59000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8476, KUMAR V C, 98800, CHAIN 1, 8480, SHASHIDHARA S R, 137000, FINGER RINGS 2, 8490, BRAHMA PASHA, 16000, DROPS 2, FINGER RINGS 1, 8496, MAHAMAD SADIK, 26000, DROPS & STUD 2, FINGER RINGS 2, 8497, MAHAMAD SADIK, 197000, CHAIN 1, DROPS & STUD 2, FINGER RINGS 1, NECKLACE 2, 8498, NARASIMHAMURTHY J P, 20840, FINGER RINGS 1, 8499, DARSHAN, 12000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8514, ANNAPPA, 15045, FINGER RINGS 1, 8524, JAYANNA B M, 7000, DROPS 2, 8530, MAHESHAPPA, 48500, BRACELET 1, DROPS 2, 8545, JAYDES H K N, 147000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8547, MAHALAKSHMI, 50000, DROPS 2, DROPS & STUD 2 FINGER RINGS 1, 8561, KUMARASWAMY C S, 34500, FINGER RINGS 1, 1326070302375, DEEPAHARATHI, 140180, STUD 2, 8605, VISHWANATH C S, 21000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8654, MAHESHA, 85180, FINGER RINGS 1, STUD 2, 8494, ASOKA, 20000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8467, KANTHARAJU, 59000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8476, KUMAR V C, 98800, CHAIN 1, 8480, SHASHIDHARA S R, 137000, FINGER RINGS 2, 8490, BRAHMA PASHA, 16000, DROPS 2, FINGER RINGS 1, 8496, MAHAMAD SADIK, 26000, DROPS & STUD 2, FINGER RINGS 2, 8497, MAHAMAD SADIK, 197000, CHAIN 1, DROPS & STUD 2, FINGER RINGS 1, NECKLACE 2, 8498, NARASIMHAMURTHY J P, 20840, FINGER RINGS 1, 8499, DARSHAN, 12000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8514, ANNAPPA, 15045, FINGER RINGS 1, 8524, JAYANNA B M, 7000, DROPS 2, 8530, MAHESHAPPA, 48500, BRACELET 1, DROPS 2, 8545, JAYDES H K N, 147000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8547, MAHALAKSHMI, 50000, DROPS 2, DROPS & STUD 2 FINGER RINGS 1, 8561, KUMARASWAMY C S, 34500, FINGER RINGS 1, 1326070302375, DEEPAHARATHI, 140180, STUD 2, 8605, VISHWANATH C S, 21000, DROPS & STUD 2, 8654, MAHESHA, 85180, FINGER RINGS 1, STUD 2, 8665, SYEDA, KAL, 196310, DROPS & STUD 2,

Upton to join as India's mental conditioning coach

Renowned mental conditioning coach Paddy Upton, who was part of the support staff of India's 2011 World Cup winning team, is rejoining the national set-up in the lead up to the T20 World Cup in Australia. Upton has been roped in on a short term contract and will be the latest addition to coach Rahul Dravid's team of support staff.

NEERAJ SEEKS DL RETURN

INDRANEEL DAS @Chennai

IN a big setback for India, javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra has pulled out of the Commonwealth Games due to injury. The 2020 Tokyo Olympics champion was forced to give the quadrennial Games a miss due to abductor strain, considered a common groin injury among athletes. He sustained it during the World Athletics Championships in Eugene, Oregon on Saturday.

Neeraj was supposed to leave for Birmingham on Sunday for the multi-discipline event but he had to postpone his departure and instead went for an MRI. Neeraj had said after the silver medal at the Worlds that he strained his right thigh after the throw in the fourth attempt. "I had a thigh strain after the fourth round and so I used a strap," he had said. After the fourth attempt, he could not match his 88.13m (fourth attempt) in the following throws. Neeraj is the defending champion at the CWG and was supposed to be India's flag-bearer.

Neeraj and the team, including coach Klaus Bartonietz and Ishaan Marwaha, are still in the US, rescheduling their tickets and plan. They would, however, will not come to India as of now. Instead, they are looking at a place in Belgium or Germany for the Indian star to consult an expert and start his rehabilitation process. Anderson Peters, his rival and competitor from Grenada, who bettered him at the Worlds for the gold, is still in the fray.

If insiders are to be believed, Neeraj doesn't want to take the risk because there is hardly any time for him to recover fully. The javelin throw final is on August 7. With some important Diamond League events and the Asian Games and Athletics World Championships scheduled next year, it is prudent to not risk much at the CWG. The 24-year-old is now planning to continue rehabilitation and training in Europe. The destination will be decided soon.

Manisha Malhotra, who is working closely with Neeraj and his team, confirmed that the Haryana ace, as things stand, would be looking to consult doctors in Germany or Belgium. "We are looking for specialists and hopefully get an appointment," Manisha, who heads JSW's sports excellence programme, said from Germany.

The team is hoping to participate at the Lausanne Diamond League on August 26.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Officials at 5 'Villages' for athletes

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

FIVE different 'Villages' made the job of officials responsible for the country's contingent a bit difficult but India's Chef de Mission for the Commonwealth Games (CWG), Rajesh Bhandari, expressed satisfaction over the facilities being provided to the athletes.

"We are satisfied with the facilities here. The teams from different disciplines will be staying at five different 'Villages' and these venues are far away from each other. However, we have deputed officials at different locations to take care of athletes and cater to their needs," Bhandari told this daily from Birmingham.

Usually, all athletes stay in the dedicated Games Village but the organisers of Birmingham 2022 have arranged five different accommodations for athletes. More than 5000 athletes are set to take part in the sporting extravaganza.

As per the official communication issued by the Indian Olympic Association (IOA), athletes taking part in swimming, athletics, gymnastics, squash, and hockey, will be staying in Commonwealth Games Village Birmingham (CGB) while the ones in badminton, boxing, table tennis, weightlifting and triathlon will be put up in Commonwealth Games Village NEC (CGN).

Those participating in wrestling, judo and lawn bowls will be based out of Commonwealth Games Village Warwick (CGW) while the cricketers will be in Commonwealth Games Village City Centre (CGC).

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Pathbreaker Vijayalakshmi recalls Grand times & more

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WHEN Viswanathan Anand became the first Indian Grandmaster in 1988, it was a landmark moment. Over the next 12 years, India produced four more GMs. But all of them were men. It wasn't until Subbaraman Vijayalakshmi broke the glass ceiling in 2001, that India had a woman Grandmaster.

Vijayalakshmi is a trendsetter in many ways. She was the Commonwealth women's champion in 1996 and won silver medals in the 2000 and 2002 Olympiads, but more than anything else, she put Indian women's chess on the map. As her home city, Chennai, gets ready to host the 44th Chess Olympiad, the 43-year-old spoke about her journey, how much the game and fraternity have grown and more. Excerpts:

On her early journey...

My father was the person who brought me into chess. Ours is a chess family. All my sisters play. We started chess when I was three-and-a-half-years old, the way things were then to what it is now there is a huge sea of change as far as chess growth is concerned. At that time, the Olympiad was just like any other tournament everyone was aware of but now seeing that so much awareness and recognition is there, it's such a happy place for all players right now.

How things have changed from the time you became a WGM?

When I used to play, I used to get prize money of ₹50 or 100. Now the prize is high. Obviously, there's quite a lot of difference in that, they get more exposure. I have won two Olympiad medals. But basically, it was unknown at that point in time. Now, an Olympiad medal means more monetarily (as well), that'll be a huge motivation.

Do you think the pressure is more now?

Pressure is always there. For the simplest reason because even when I played, I had the pressure of coming first. I don't think it was any different than what it is now. The big difference is that as of today they have good opportunities. That is one major difference.

The most memorable moment of your career...

Definitely, when I became the first woman GM of the country. When I first won the Chess Olympiad silver medal, the whole fraternity was there, I was representing India and our flag was being hoisted. That was a very special moment. It was the greatest moment for my dad because we started with absolutely nothing and even now, there is no recognition for him. The whole fraternity knows that I am what I am because of him.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

2nd Indian cricketer tests positive for Covid

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AS the Indian women's team are getting ready for their maiden appearance in the Commonwealth Games in Birmingham, two players have tested positive for Covid and have stayed back in Bengaluru. Last Thursday, the BCCI president Sourav Ganguly had confirmed after the Apex council meeting that one player has tested positive. While the Indian team has already reached Birmingham, on Tuesday, the BCCI confirmed that another player from the squad, too, had tested positive and had to stay back in Bengaluru. According to the BCCI, the two players could join the team only after testing negative twice.

Can India complete clean sweep?

Having sealed the three-match ODI series 2-0, tourists will look to end on a high in the final 50-over clash on Wednesday. A look ahead of 3rd clash...

DEARTH OF EARLY WICKETS

One of the things that India have struggled with in both the matches is to make a mark with the new ball early on. With no Mohammad Shami and Jaspreit Bumrah, the likes of Prasidh Krishna and Mohammed Siraj haven't been able to provide breakthroughs consistently. It is something they would want to look at in the final ODI.

CAN HOSTS SALVAGE A WIN?

Having put up a show with the bat in both matches, skipper Nicholas Pooran being happy about finishing 50 overs, West Indies would want to get a win under the belt before moving on to their strongest format. They might have to find a way to keep breaking partnerships with the ball and restrict India to a moderate total.

IN-FORM AXAR PUTS PRESSURE ON JADEJA

Axar Patel stole the show on Sunday with all round performance of 1/40 and an unbeaten 35-ball 64. With Ravindra Jadeja's bowling numbers not being up to the mark in recent years — 57.15 average since July 2019 — Axar's rise could keep Jadeja's place in the XI in check. And when he comes back from injury, it will be interesting to see how the team combination goes.

LIVE ON FANCODE AND DD SPORTS FROM 7 PM

EXPRESS READ

Lovlina's coach gets CWG accreditation

BIRMINGHAM: Lovlina Borgohain's personal coach Sandhya Gurung on Tuesday received her accreditation for the CWG, a day after the Olympic bronze medallist claimed her preparation for the event was getting affected due to "continuous harassment" of her coaches. Gurung was added to the Indian contingent just days before the event.

Saini dazzles for Kent with 3 for 45

MANCHESTER: India pacer Navdeep Saini returned with figures of 3 for 45 to put his county side Kent in a strong position against Lancashire on the rain-affected first day. On a day when only 34.2 overs were bowled, Saini registered figures of 3/45 in 11 overs as Lancashire reached 112 for 4 before play was abandoned due to rain on Monday.

Tokyo Olympic board member under scanner

TOKYO: Prosecutors searched the home of former Tokyo Olympic organizing committee executive board member Haruyuki Takahashi on Tuesday in connection with payments (around 45 million yen | $330,000) made to him by an Olympic sponsor of the Tokyo Games, the Japanese news agency Kyodo reported.

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No.TD/TM/GEN-235
(Vol-VI)/22/1391, dtd 19.07.2022
Name of the Work: "Allotment of 03(Three) nos. of Mechanical Iron Ore/Iron Ore Pellet plots at IOHP". License Fees Rs.2,85,48,000/-, Wharfage Fees: Rs.16,53,300/-. Last date & time of submission of bid: 08.08.2022 up to 15:00 hrs. Date and time of Opening (technical bid): 08.08.2022 up to 15:00 hrs. Refer our website for details: https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app & http://paradipport.gov.in
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भारतीय कंटेनर निगम लिमिटेड
CONTAINER CORPORATION OF INDIA LTD.
(A Navratna Undertaking of Govt. of India)
Auction Notice No.MSTC/Area-III/CONCOR/CHENNAI/22-23/14541/14542/14543 Dated 27.07.2022
Online Public Auction Sale
CONCOR invites online auction sale of uncleared/unclaimed imported cargo, damaged domestic containers/cargo available at various CONCOR Terminals in Area-III (South). For Import Cargo the Public Auction is organized under Provisions of Section 48 of the Customs Act, 1962, without any further notice to Importer/Consignee. Valid objections, if any, against sale of goods involving cases under appeal or with Hon'ble Court may be submitted to CONCOR within 7 days from the issue of this notice, otherwise it would be presumed that Importer/Consignee has no objection and the goods may be sold without any further notice. Online Auction is conducted through M/s MSTC Ltd., an authorized e-commerce service provider for M/s CONCOR. The inspection of containers/cargo would be from 29-07-22 to 09-08-22 on working days/hours in the respective CONCOR terminals. Online auction is scheduled on 10.08.2022. For details please log on to www.concorindia.com or eprocure.gov.in or www.mstcindia.co.in or contact CONCOR- 044-28482182 or MSTC Ltd. Ph: 044-25218004, e-Mail:rahjain@mstcindia.co.in. Further, please note contgendam, if any, will be hosted on above websites only, before the last date of submission of bids. Hence bidders are requested to visit the website regularly. Sd/- ED/Area-III (South)

LOST
My Clients PRABHA, W/o Venkatesh, residing at sy.No.29/1, Hosakote alub, Sulibele Hobli, Yanagurte village, Kempkote Urban, Karnataka, have lost the original registered Gift deed bearing document No. HSR-1-01619-2010-11 in Book No.1, CD No. HSKD, dated 14-07-2010, registered at Sub Register Office Hoskote, Bengaluru Urban and same was lost on 01-03-2022 at HSR Layout.
Sd/- R.M.Chandrashekar
Advocate & Notary Public
#47, KIADB Complex, Kammagala, Kanaipura-560034
Mob: 9448104253

LOST
My Clients JAYAMMA, W/o. Late Nanjimsha, residing at Hoskote taluk, Sulibele Hobli, Yanagurte village, Bangalore Urban, Karnataka, have lost the original registered Sale Deed bearing document No 2396 and 2852, Book No 1, 1113 and 9557, dated 11.09.1593 and 12.09.1593, registered at Sub Register Office Hoskote, Bangalore Urban and same was lost on 01-05-2022 at HSR Layout.
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CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
Office at the Executive Engineer, Hemavathy Jem Division, Gorur Division, Gorur
tender Notification Postponement Dt:22.07.2022
The Calendar events of the short term Tender notification No. 10/2022-23 Date:19.07.2022, call-2, called by the undersigned through e-portal has been postponed on 22.07.2022 is rescheduled due to e-portal technical reasons. [1] Downloading the tender documents (through E-portal website [www.eprocurekarnataka.gov.in) from 03.08.2022 to 10.08.2022, Opening of Technical Bid 10.08.2022, 11AM. Remaining conditions etc., are as ids and good. For further details contact to the Undersigned office between 10.30 AM to 5.30 PM on every working days.
Sd/- Executive Engineer, CNNL, Hemavathy
Dam Division, Gorur

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THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED
Administrative Office: # 3, PAMPAMAHAKAVI ROAD, CHAMARAJAPET, BANGALORE -18.
Ph. : 26678572 : 26600512 : 26609088. Tele Fax : (080) 26617980
SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH PUBLIC AUCTION
Auction Sale under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 of the Immovable properties mortgaged to the Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Ltd., to be sold on "AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION"

Sl No	Name of the Borrower & Address Description of property	Boundaries & Measurement	Amount of Secured debt	Date of Public Auction
1.	Sri. Syed Sardar No. 388, Swagath Main Road, Thilak Nagar, Jayanagar, Bangalore-41 No.40, Old No. 38U, 30th Cross Road, Tilak Nagar, BBMP Ward No. 60 of Pattabhiramanagar PID No. 60-74-40, Bengaluru.	East to West : 30 feet & North to South : 30 feet East by : Site No. 389 West by : Site No. 387 North by : Road. South by : Site No.419	Rs. 50,06,252/- (Interest from 19.07.2022) Notice Date : 21.07.2022 Reserve Price Rs. 65,85,000/-	26.08.2022 10.00 A.M
2.	Sri. Mohammed Azam No.446, 'F' Cross, Bismillah Nagar, S.C.Road, Bangalore-20 No.54, By No. 685, present Corporation No. 4-4, 58th Division, 'F' Cross Road, Bismillanagar, BBMP Ward No. 64, New Ward No. 17 of Cumpepura Pulya, PID No. 64-105-4, Bengaluru.	East to West : 24 feet & North to South : 16 feet East by : Road West by : Private Property North by : Private Property South by : Remaining portion of the same property measuring :- 18 X 24 feet.	Rs. 20,35,182/- (Interest from 13.07.2022) Notice Date : 21.07.2022 Reserve Price Rs. 24,02,000/-	26.08.2022 11.00 A.M
3.	Sri. Balakrishna. M No. 1447, K.H. Ranganatha Colony, J.J.R. Nagar, Bengaluru-10. No.57, Old No. 144, 3rd Cross, K.H. Ranganatha Colony, BBMP Ward No. 47 of J.J.R. Nagar, PID No. 44-104-7, Bengaluru.	East to West : 45 feet & North to South : 18 feet East by : Road West by : Site No. 145 North by : Property belongs to Ebony Mill South by : Site No. 148.	Rs. 17,73,925/- (Interest from 25.07.2022) Notice Date : 21.07.2022 Reserve Price Rs. 62,67,000/-	26.08.2022 12.00 P.M
4.	Sri. Ramakrishnaiah Jogaradoddi, Bidadi Ramanagar Taluk & District. 1st Schedule:- Municipal Khatha No. 237/A/35/3 of Jogaradoddi, Ramandoru Dhakale, Bidadi Purusabhe limits, Ward No. 18 of Jogaradodd, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Taluk & District, consisting upon Ground floor, First floor.	East to West : 25 feet & North to South : 21 feet East by : Road West by : House belongs to Ramakrishnaiah North by : Road South by : House belongs to Shivakumari.	Rs. 1,10,58,199/- (Interest from 22.07.2022) Notice Date : 21.07.2022 Reserve Price Rs. 1,30,45,000/-	26.08.2022 02.00 P.M
	2nd Schedule:- Municipal Khatha No. 93/227/A/93/ 3/4 of Jogaradoddi, Ramandoru Dhakale, Bidadi Purusabhe limits, Ward No. 18 of Jogaradodd, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Taluk & District, consisting upon Ground floor, First floor	East to West : 31 feet & North to South : 18 Feet East by : House belongs to Ramakrishnaiah West by : Road, North by : House belongs to Anjanappa, South by : House belongs to Gangamma & Venkateshaiah.		
	3rd Schedule:- Municipal Khatha No. 93/227/A/93/ 3/2 of Jogaradoddi, Ramandoru Dhakale, Bidadi Purusabhe limits, Ward No. 18 of Jogaradodd, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Taluk & District, consisting upon Ground floor, First floor	East to West : 28 feet & North to South : 75 feet East by : House belongs to Bhivalingaiah West by : House belongs to Bhivalingaiah, Anjanappa, Ramakrishnaiah & Gangamma North by : Road South by : House belongs to Seethamma		
	4th Schedule:- Municipal Khatha No. 331/257/A/83/ 3/1 of Jogaradoddi, Ramandoru Dhakale, Bidadi Purusabhe limits, Ward No. 18 of Jogaradodd, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Taluk & District, consisting upon Ground floor, First floor	East to West : 23 feet & North to South : 30 feet East by : Property belongs to Ramakrishnaiah, Shivakumari, Manjula, Ragramma West by : House belongs to Anjanappa North by : Road. South by : House belongs to Seethamma.		

(1) The said property will be sold by the undersigned Authorised Officer of The Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Ltd., No. 3, Pampa Mahakavi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-18. (2) The participation in the auction by intending bidders have to deposit an amount equivalent to 10 % of the Reserve price of the property being auctioned as Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) before the commencement of the auction. (3) The successful bidder has to deposit 25 % of the bid amount on the same day of the sale in cash/DD to the bank and the balance within 15 days from the date of sale. (4) The successful bidders shall bear all expenses such as duly Registration charges, for getting the sale deed/lease Registered in his/her favour. (5) The authorised officer shall have powers to accept or reject bids or postpone/cancel the auction without assigning any reasons therefor. (6) For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending bidders may contact the undersigned or The Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Ltd., Administrative Office or Branch Offices through phone No. 26678572 / 26600512. (7) They are at liberty to make their own assessment of the property about the property.

Date : 26.07.2022
Place : Bangalore
Sd/- Authorized Officer
The Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Ltd.,

VYSYA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,
Administrative Office: D. No.81/B/1, Anantha Swamy Circle, B.H. Road, Tumkur-572 102, Ph: 0816-2277777, E-Mail: ho@vbl.in
Branch: No.22, Ground Floor, 4th Main, 4th Cross, BEML 3rd Stage, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore-560 022. Ph: 080 23479675, E-Mail: yesh.ops@vbl.in
POSSESSION NOTICE — Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)
Whereas the Authorised Officer of Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd., under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 09.06.2022 calling upon the BORROWERS/ MORTGAGERS/ GUARANTORS: M/s M R FARMERS AND SUPPLIERS, No.22/1, 4th Cross, 4th Main, APMC Yard, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore-560 022. Rep by its Proprietor Sri. M.R.Bhaskar S/o. M.Rangappa. Also at M.R.Bhaskar S/o M.Rangappa, No.12/1, 8th Main, 1st Cross, Shankar Nagar, Bangalore-560 010. 2) Mrs. V Uma W/o M.R.Bhaskar, No.12/1, 8th Main, 1st Cross, Shankaranagar, Bangalore North 560 010. 3) Ms. M B Harshitha S/o M.R.Bhaskar, No.12/1, 8th Main, 1st Cross, Shankaranagar, Bangalore North 560 010, 3) Ms. M B Arpitha D/o M.R.Bhaskar, No.12/1, 8th Main, 1st Cross, Shankaranagar, Bangalore North - 560 010 to repay the outstanding amount mentioned in the Notice being A/c No.100704500197 of Rs.1,28,58,227=10 (Rupees One Crore Twenty Eight Lakh Fifty Eight Thousand and Two Hundred Twenty Seven Only) as on 31/01/2022 with interest and other charges thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this 22.07.2022.
The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd, APMC Yard Branch, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore, for an amount of A/c No.100704500197 of Rs.1,28,58,227=10 (Rupees One Crore Twenty Eight Lakh Fifty Eight Thousand and Two Hundred Twenty Seven Only) as on 31/01/2022 and further interest and other charges thereon.
The Borrowers attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.
DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that piece and parcel of the immovable property of about 5'7.28 Sq.Mts in Ground Floor, 5'7.25 Sq.Mts in First Floor & 5'7.28 Mts in Second Floor, Constructed on Site No. 54 A+1, duly converted for commercial purposes vide order No.BDA/LND/CR/25/1993-94 dated 07.10.1997 & 6 (N)(4) SH 6/Sht-68, measuring 25'06 East & bearing Katha No.2172/54 now changed to BBMP Katha No.BHR/0020/11/00041 measuring East to West 50'0 Mts (Eastern side) North to South 40'0 Mts (Northern side), totally measuring 1216.00 Sq.Mts (1303.00 Sq.Ft) situated at Sanjeevanna Nilaya Yadyal Kere, Kurigi Town, bounded on: East by: Property of Channakeshavaiah & Others, West by: Property of Hanumaiah, North by: Road, National Highway 48, South by: Property of Channakeshavaiah.
ITEM No.1 Schedule Property: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property of about 17'4.8 Sq.Mts in East-West & 17'2.8 Sq.Mts in South-North, totally measuring 1216.00 Sq.Mts, the property bearing Katha No.2172/54 now changed to BBMP Katha No.BHR/0020/11/00041 measuring East to West 50'0 Mts (Eastern side) North to South 40'0 Mts (Northern side), totally measuring 1216.00 Sq.Mts (1303.00 Sq.Ft) situated at Sanjeevanna Nilaya Yadyal Kere, Kurigi Town, bounded on: East by: Property of Channakeshavaiah & Others, West by: Property of Hanumaiah, North by: Road, National Highway 48, South by: Property of Channakeshavaiah.
ITEM No.2 Schedule Property: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property of about 5'7.28 sq.mts in the basement, 5'7.28 Sq.Mts in Ground Floor constructed in Schedule Property together with 50% of undivided share in the plot.
Date : 22.07.2022
Place : Tumkur
Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Executive Officer
Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

National Health Mission
Karnataka Health & Family Welfare Society
Office of the Director, DHS&FW Services, Arogya Soudha, Bengaluru - 560 020 Landline No: 080-25510508
No: H-NHM-HR-Recruitment-State Notification-1/2/2021-22 Date: 26.07.2022
Application for the various posts under NHM
The Karnataka State Health & Family Welfare Society invites applications from the eligible candidates for the under mentioned posts under National Health Mission. The posts are temporary and purely on contract basis. The application will be only through Google Form link and further information provided in Department website https://karunadu.karnataka.gov.in/hfw. Last date to submit your online application is 03/08/2022 by 5.00 PM.

Sl. No.	Designation	No. of Post
1	Programme Manager	1
2	Child Health Advisor	1
3	Consultant, Child Health	1
4	Hardware/ Network Engineer	1
5	Programmer	1
6	Divisional Level Procurement Consultant-HPLM&S	1
7	State Logistics Consultant (S.C)	1
8	State Programme Coordinator	1
9	Consultant (H&F)	1
10	MIS Data Manager	1
11	Consultant Maternal Health & Family Planning	1
12	Consultant, Verbal Health	1
13	IEC Consultant	1
14	Consultant (Monitoring & Evaluation)	1
15	Consultant Social Development (SD)	1
16	Consultant (Finance Management)	1
17	CST Coordinator	1
18	M&E Official	1
19	TB HIV Co-Ordinator	1
20	Data Analyst	1
21	Pharmacist cum (store keeper) Satellite storage	1
22	Consultant Oral Health	1
23	State Consultant Public Health	1
24	State Data Manager	1
25	IT Consultant	1
26	Consultant-NUHM	1
27	State Consultant Quality Assurance (SCQA)	1
28	Consultants for RBSK	2
29	Consultant FIP/ Planning-NHM	1

Sd/- Mission Director
National Health Mission
Wash Hands | Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

EU nations okay formula on gas ration for winter

The plan asks member states to voluntarily reduce its use by 15% starting next month

ENERGY

BRUSSELS: The European Union agreed a plan to reduce gas consumption on Tuesday, an act of solidarity with Germany and a response to Russia's manipulation of supplies as an economic weapon.

The plan, approved by energy ministers in Brussels, will see exceptions and carve-outs as some EU countries blanched at making too deep a sacrifice for Berlin and a few landlocked member states.

But Hungary was the only member state to oppose the plan, which passed on a majority vote, and the ministers' Council of the European Union hailed the deal as a victory for EU unity.

"In an effort to increase EU security of energy supply, member states today reached a political agreement on a voluntary reduction of natural gas demand by 15% this winter," the council said. "The Council regulation also foresees the possibility to trigger a 'Union alert' on security of supply, in which case the gas demand reduction would become mandatory," the statement continued.

"The purpose of the gas demand reduction is to make savings ahead of winter in order to prepare for possible disruptions of gas supplies from Russia that is continuously using energy supplies as a weapon."

Germany, the EU's economic powerhouse, is hugely dependent on Russian gas and remains at the mercy of the supply from Gazprom for the years still needed to find alternative sources. "It is true that, Germany with its dependence on Russian gas, has made a strategic mistake but our government is working... to correct this," Germany's economy minister Robert Habeck said as he arrived.

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> Council of EU

France said showing solidarity with Berlin would help in turn protect all of Europe, even though Germany takes a major share of the 40% of EU gas imports that came from Russia last year.

"Our industrial chains are completely interdependent: if the chemical industry in Germany coughs, the whole of European industry could come to a halt," said French minister for energy transition, Agnes Pannier-Runacher. The plan asks member states to voluntarily reduce gas use by 15%—based on a five-year average for the months in question—starting next month and over the subsequent winter through March. Czech industry minister Jozef Sikela, said the plan would deliver a strong answer to Gazprom's plan to cut gas deliveries to Europe.

EXFILE • CLIMATE

Thaw and redraw: melting glacier moves Italian-Swiss border

Way up in the snowy Alps, the border between Switzerland and Italy has shifted due to a melting glacier, putting the location of an Italian mountain lodge in dispute

DRAINAGE DIVIDE
The borderline runs along a drainage divide—the point at which meltwater will run down either side of the mountain towards one country or the other

THEODUL GLACIER'S RETREAT
But the Theodul Glacier's retreat means the watershed has crept towards the Rifugio Guide del Cervino, a refuge for visitors near the 3,480-metre Testa Grigia peak—and it is gradually sweeping underneath the building

SWITZERLAND OR ITALY
Tourists who visit the establishment find that the menu is in Italian, not German, and priced in euros rather than Swiss francs. Thus, a question always pops in their heads: are they in Switzerland or in Italy?

INITIALLY AN ITALIAN REFUGE
When the refuge was built on a rocky outcrop in 1984, its 40 beds and long wooden tables were entirely in Italian territory

SOUTHERN SWITZERLAND
But now two-thirds of the lodge, including most of the beds and the restaurant, is technically perched in southern Switzerland

TOURISM
The issue has come to the fore because the area, which relies on tourism, is located at the top of one of the world's largest ski resorts, with a major new development including a cable car station being constructed a few metres away

SECRET NEGOTIATION
It is a question worth asking as it has been the subject of diplomatic negotiations that started in 2018 and concluded with a compromise last year—but the details remain secret

KEEPING A WATCH ON THE BOUNDARY
Wicht's job includes looking after the 7,000 boundary markers along landlocked Switzerland's 1,935-kilometre border with Austria, France, Germany, Italy and Liechtenstein

LINE IN THE SNOW
Where the Italian-Swiss border traverses Alpine glaciers, the frontier follows the watershed line

But the Theodul Glacier lost almost a quarter of its mass between 1973 and 2010. That exposed the rock underneath to the ice, altering the drainage divide and forcing the two neighbours to redraw around a 100-metre-long stretch of their border

REVELATION OF AGREEMENT An agreement was hammered out in Florence in November 2021 but the outcome will only be revealed once it is rubber-stamped by the Swiss government—which will not happen before 2023

SPLITTING THE DIFFERENCE "We agreed to split the difference," Alain Wicht, chief border official at Switzerland's national mapping agency Swisstopo told AFP

REFUGE WILL BE ITALIAN While the outcome remains secret, the refuge's caretaker, 51-year-old Lucio Trucco, has been told it will stay on Italian soil

Centuries-old mines stirring Japan-South Korea tensions

CULTURE

SADO: Under a split-top mountain on the Japanese island of Sado lies a network of centuries-old mines that have sparked a new diplomatic row with South Korea.

Some of the gold and silver mines of Sado, off Japan's west coast, are believed to have started operating as early as the 12th century and produced until after World War II. Japan believes that lengthy history and the artisanal mining techniques used there at a time when European mines had turned to mechanisation merit recognition on UNESCO's World Heritage List.

But in Seoul, the focus is on what isn't mentioned in the bid: the use of conscripted Korean labour during the Second World War, when Japan occupied the Korean peninsula. Japan is seeking recognition of three sites for the period between 1603 and 1867.

Officials and supporters of the bid say that era was when the mines were the world's most productive and mining was done by hand. But it also stops short of the period when conscripted Koreans toiled in conditions that even some backers of the UNESCO bid call "extremely harsh".

The World Heritage effort has been years in the making, inspired in part by the successful recognition of a silver mine in Japan's Shimane region.

Department of Health and Family Welfare
HEALTHCARE DEVELOPMENT
IN KARNATAKA
1 Year Achievement
Shri Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister
Shri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister
Under the Government led by Hon'ble Shri Basavaraj S. Bommai, Department of Health and Family Welfare has implemented various development programmes at a rapid pace in Karnataka in accordance with the motto "Your Health, Our Responsibility".
Ayushman Bharat-Arogya Karnataka
31.74 Lakh
Cards have been issued till date.
Health and Wellness Centre
8,619 Centres Operationalized.
3,173 Community Health Officers appointed.
Pradhan Mantri - Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission
Rs.2,617.38 Crore
are intended to be spent for the next five years for building new infrastructure and strengthening existing institutions to effectively manage any future Pandemic & Health Emergencies.
Arogya Nandana
78.32 Lakh
Free health screening was conducted for children aged 0-18 years.
e-Sanjeevani
62.43 Lakh
Tele-medicine consultations were conducted.
Namma Clinics
438
To provide comprehensive primary healthcare services for urban poor.
Organ Transplant Surgeries
46
Total transplant surgeries performed
37 Kidney
5 Heart
4 Liver
PCV Vaccination
1.9 Lakh (PCV-1)
1.79 Lakh (PCV-2)
Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine administered to prevent Pneumonia in children.
Recruitment of Doctors
933 GDMCs
401 Specialists
84 Dentists
Mother and Children Hospital
4 Hospitals
Bailhongala - 100 bedded
Jewargi - 100 bedded
Kushtagi - 100 bedded
Manchanahalli - 60 bedded
Awards for Achievement
India Today Healthgiri Award for effective COVID-19 Management.
14 (5 Silver, 9 Bronze) Medals received under subnational certification for TB elimination activity.
Awarded an Excellence Award by the Hon'ble Vice President of India for having 382 DNB seats with excellent pass percentage.
Successful COVID-19 Management
COVID-19 Vaccination
11.41 Crore Doses
Administered till 24.07.2022
5.49 Crore 1st Doses
5.45 Crore 2nd Doses
54.64 Lakh Precaution Doses
COVID-19 Testing
6.76 Crore
Tests conducted.
2.95 Crore RTPCR
82 Lakh RAT
(28.07.2021 to 23.07.2022)
COVID-19 Testing Capacity
1.76 Lakh
4 day's rotational testing capacity of 194 labs in the State.
COVID-19 Tele-consultation
27.60 Lakh
Telephone calls were facilitated.
COVID-19 Bed Arrangement
In Taluk Hospitals
2928 ICU
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In District Hospitals
263 ICU
665 Oxygenated
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DAY'S DIARY

Terrorist attack

On this day in 1996, Atlanta Olympics was attacked by terrorists, killing one person and injuring hundred and eleven people

THE INCIDENT

A single homemade pipe bomb was left in a knapsack and exploded amid a crowd of spectators in Centennial Olympic Park, near the main sites of the Olympic Games in Atlanta

BEFORE THE BOMBING

Three months before the blast, the Atlanta Olympic Committee transformed the 21-acre site from an unused area of slums into an entertainment venue

AFTER THE TRAGEDY

Eventually, after the bombings of a gay nightclub and abortion clinic in Atlanta, the police arrested Eric Rudolph. He was sentenced to multiple life sentences in 2005

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PG3

21-year-old Sini Shetty, Femina Miss India 2022, has her sights set on the next Miss World title. The girl from Karnataka, who was recently in Bengaluru, talks about maintaining her individuality while going places

MONIKA MONALISA

CROWNING GLORY

UNLIKE many her age, Sini Shetty (21), who was recently crowned Femina Miss India 2022, already has a vision of what she hopes to achieve. However, behind the crown and the designer labels, she is a 'total goofball and a clumsy person'. Shetty is soon going to be the face of India at the Miss World Pageant.

Shetty, even though raised in Mumbai, has her roots in Mangaluru, and was recently in Bengaluru for a homecoming tour. The whole experience since her victory in the pageant has been nothing less than a dream for her. She recalls it was a family tradition with all her cousins, uncles, and aunts to watch the Miss India pageant. "I always wanted to be a part of it. I remember Aishwarya Rai winning and she comes from the Bunt community. She was the chief guest for a community programme that I saw as a five-year-old. I was starstruck," recalls Shetty, who is a frequent visitor to the city with extended family based here. "When I am in Bengaluru, I usually hang out in Indiranagar or Whitefield. I am a 'dosae girl' so CTR and MTR are also on the list," says Shetty, revealing that she is looking forward to indulging in a dosae after her chat with *CE*.

It's needless to mention that Shetty's win has been a personal win for her parents, who are in the hospitality business. She calls her parents her biggest support, both physically and emotionally. However, when she broke the news of her competing in the pageant, her family members didn't believe it. "I was supposed to travel to Mangaluru, to visit my grandmother. But the dates when I'd booked my tickets coincided with the date to audition for the pageant. My mother thought I was using the pageant as an excuse to get out of attending a family function. Later, when I told her that I was in the top 31, she still didn't believe me. When the official Instagram announcement came, she was shocked," recalls Shetty.

Shetty was one of 31 contestants when she entered the pageant, but was unaware of the fact that her name would go down in history. Completely humbled by her competition, whom she considers equally worthy of winning, Shetty believes two things set her aside. "The first is that throughout my journey I kept learning, not just from the mentor but also all the other girls who were present. I am a keen observer and I like to pick out things that will make me a better person. I am a hustler, if I have my mind set on something, I will give it my 100 per cent," says Shetty, who comes from a marketing background.

PHL.PRAJWAL GADEKAL

NOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'** Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in CE on Thursday.

QUESTIONS

1. 'Panchavati', a quaint little heritage bungalow amidst a lush green space in Malleswaram, was the residence of one the world renowned physicists who went on to win the prestigious Nobel prize in physics in 1930. Name the Nobel laureate.

2. Muddenahalli, a tiny village located about 60 km north of Bengaluru near Nandi Hills is the birthplace of a renowned engineer and statesman who is often referred to as the architect of modern Mysore (erstwhile Mysore state). His house was converted into a museum a few decades ago. Name the statesman.

3. Masti Venkatesh Iyengar, a well-known writer in Kannada went on to receive the Jnanpith Award, the highest literary honour conferred in India in 1983. The house in which he lived for long is one of the oldest residential extensions in south Bengaluru. It is now converted into a museum. Name the extension.

CITY READ

Ayurvedic treatment along with stay introduced at resort in city

Itoozhi Ayurvedic Centre, located at the Olde Bangalore Resort has introduced an Ayurvedic rejuvenation and detoxification treatment called 'Panchakarma.' Panchakarma means five therapies and this package involves vamana, virechana, nasya, basti, and raktamokshana, which is proven to cleanse toxins from the body and boost physical and mental well-being. The whole package comprises a stay at the resort at the rate of ₹ 85,000 per person, which includes the stay, treatment, and all meals for one person, with a free companion stay. For more details, contact 9731201840.

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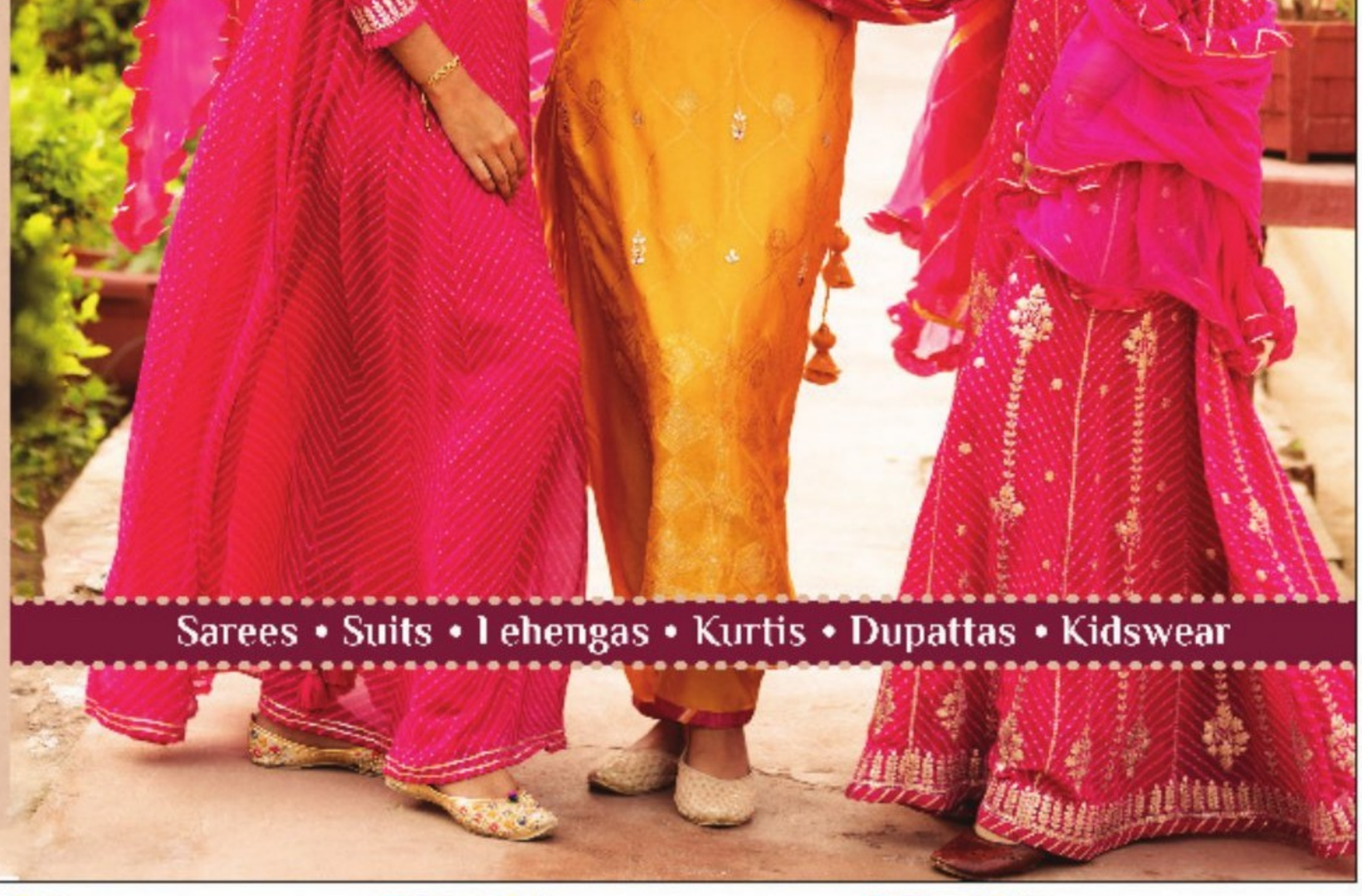

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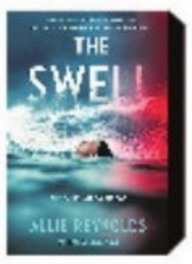
BOOK NOOK

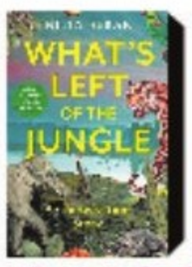
The Maid
by Nita Prose

Molly Gray is not like everyone else. She struggles with social skills and misreads the intentions of others. Her gran used to interpret the world for her, codifying it into simple rules that Molly could live by.



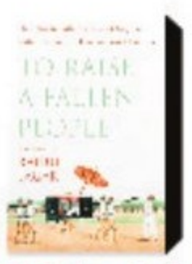
The Swell
by Allie Reynolds

Kerna travels to a remote Australian beach, entering a dangerous world far from civilization — a world where the waves, weather, and tides are all that matter.



What's Left of the Jungle: A Conservation Story
by Nitin Sekar

Indian officials estimate that over half a million families lose crops or property to wild elephants a year. Akshu Atri, born and raised in Buxa Tiger Reserve, is one such victim.



To Raise a Fallen People
by Rahul Sagar

Drawing on archival research, it unearths essays, speeches, and pamphlets that address fundamental questions about India's place in the world. Here, prominent public figures urge their compatriots to learn English and travel abroad to study, and debate.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Slow Down

Once in a while, it's good to take a break from our busy lives and slow down a little. Relax and breathe with this mindfulness meditation session.

When: July 27, 6.30 pm
Where: Online
Details: eventbrite.sg

Comedy All Night

Are weekday blues getting you down? This stand-up comedy show with lots of laughter is just what you need.

When: August 1, 8 pm
Where: Angrezi Bar, Church Street
Details: bookmyshow.com

Art for You

For a wholesome Sunday, head over to this painting exhibition called 'Soulful Strokes' where artists display their work in oil, watercolour, acrylic, and other mediums.

When: August 1, 10.30 am
Where: Karnataka Chitrakala Parishath, Seshadripuram
Details: 9632169234

The Absurd and Wonderful

If you're a fan of anything that makes you think, this absurdist play called 'The Human Trashcan' by Nimansa Theatre is for you.

When: July 29, 7.30 pm
Where: Vyoma ArtSpace and Studio Theatre, JP Nagar
Details: bookmyshow.com

Friday Fun

Nothing says Friday quite like a party. Head over to ZouK Lounge Bar for this DJ night with Joel and Abhijeeth performing.

When: July 29, 8 pm
Where: ZouK Lounge Bar, JP Nagar
Details: highape.com

Music for the Soul

Picture this, sitting around a bonfire and singing your favourite melodies after a busy day. If this sounds good to you, then this musical evening is the perfect place for you.

When: July 27, 7.30 pm
Where: Lahe Lahe, Indiranagar
Details: bookmyshow.com

Vegan Wonderland

If vegan food is what your heart desires, then this vegan market where you get to try out 60 of the best vegan and sustainable brands from across the country, is calling your name.

When: July 30, 12 pm
Where: Bangalore International Centre, Domlur
Details: +919148253622

Got Something to Say?

If you feel like your words need to be heard and all you're missing is a mic, then this open mic by Onimthough is the platform for you.

When: July 30, 6pm
Where: Dialogues Cafe, JP Nagar
Details: bookmyshow.com

GLAMOROUS GARB

Actor and model Kavya Shetty marvels at the apparels while attending the 27th South India Garment Fair 2022, which took place at Palace Grounds. VINOOKUMARY

QUICK FIX

GOBI MANCHURIAN

Contributed by: **Lakshita Narang,** New Delhi

INGREDIENTS

- **Cauliflower:** 250 g
- **Oil:** as needed
- **All purpose flour:** 1/2 cup
- **Cornstarch:** 1/4 cup
- **Red chilli powder:** 1 tsp
- **Black pepper:** 2 tsp
- **Salt:** 1/4 tsp
- **Water:** 1/2 cup
- **Oil:** 1.5 tbsp
- **Garlic:** 1 tbsp
- **Ginger:** 1 tsp
- **Green chilli:** 1 (chopped)
- **Onions:** 1/3 cups, chopped
- **Red chilli sauce:** 2 tsp
- **Vinegar:** 1/2 tsp

METHOD

- Clean cauliflower florets and add them to hot water. Drain the water after rinsing them. Let them dry.
- Heat oil in a wok on medium flame. To a large bowl, add maida, corn flour, red chilli powder, salt and pepper.
- Add water and mix. Then, add cauliflower to this batter.
- Pick up the coated florets and fry for 2-3 mins.
- To make manchurian sauce, pour oil in a wok and add green chillies, garlic, and ginger to it.
- Add chopped onions and capsicum. Add soya sauce and sauté.
- Now add red chilli sauce and vinegar. Add 3 tbsp sugar, pepper and water. Mix. Toss the cauliflower in to the sauce and mix.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengaluruexpress@gmail.com.

FIT BIT

KUNDALINI CIRCLES
(SEATED TORSO CIRCLES)

In spiritual circles, this term represents the primal force that lies 'coiled' at the base of one's spine. It is a simple seated torso movement that helps warm-up the hips and spine, engaging the core and abdominal muscles. It focusses on the Muladhara (Root) Chakra and Manipura (Solar Plexus) Chakra.

STEPS

- After releasing from Paschimottanasana (Seated Forward Bend), where the hips were opened up a bit and the shoulders too, cross your legs and keep them on the floor while still seated.
- If crossing your legs is difficult, you can continue to be seated in Dandasana (Staff Pose).
- Here, inhale and begin a slow movement of the torso, clockwise and anticlockwise moving in two rounds each in counts of four breaths.
- If you are seated in Dandasana too, you can try rotating the torso taking it slowly from one side to another.
- This helps you to encourage the opening of the base of the spine, the sacrum, which further helps to encourage the flow of prana to the entire body.

BENEFITS

- Opens the tight muscles of the back, increasing the range of motion of the hips, and freeing tensions in the shoulders and upper back.
- Before practising deep twists and forward bends, prepare the back, hips and shoulders for easier movements.
- Helps strengthen the deep core muscles, including the pelvic floor, gluteus maximus, and psoas muscles.
- Body gets a good stretch, helping the side abdominal muscles be active and energised.
- The flow of prana is said to move upwards through the chakras, awakening the right energy to create a path for spirituality.
- Stimulates organs improving better digestion, lesser pains during menstruation, and balances hormones.
- Keeps the body free of toxins, flushing them out.
- Brings awareness to how the body feels and the mind responds to this feeling.

LIMITATIONS

Beginners shouldn't go beyond their limits during practice.

If you are suffering from gastroesophageal reflux disease, avoid.

In case of extreme lower back pain, chronic spinal issues or spinal conditions, pregnant women with high or low blood pressure must avoid this.

By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

PAKA (Malayalam)

Paka is a tale of a river that swells with the blood of two feuding families and a young couple that tries to overcome this hatred with their love.

Cast: Basil Paulose, Vineetha Koshy, Nithin George
Watch on: SonyLiv

JUGJUGG JEEYO (Hindi)

Two couples from different generations confront their relationship issues after marriage, revealing infidelity and divorce.

Cast: Varun Dhawan, Kiara Advani
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

F3 (FUN AND FRUSTRATION) (Telugu)

Venky and Varun try to come up from financial problems. But what will happen when they meet the Pragathi family which is greedy for money?

Cast: Venkatesh, Tamannah, Varun Tej
Watch on: Netflix

ANTE SUNDARANIKI (Telugu)

A man from a Brahmin family falls in love with a Christian girl. In order to convince his parents, he trains her to be a Brahmin and invites her into his home.

Cast: Nani, Nazriya Nazim, Nadhiya Moidu
Watch on: Netflix

KOLAIYUTHIR KAALAM (Tamil)

Shruthi, an orphan with a speech and hearing disability, becomes the heiress after the death of Abha, her rich adoptive mother. When she goes to Abha's mansion in London, a masked killer attacks her.

Cast: Nayanthara, Bhumika Chawla, Prathap Pothen
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

CHUMBAK (Marathi)

A 15-year-old con artist is faced with a tough choice when he meets the latest victim of his lottery scheme.

Cast: Sahil Jadhav, Swanand Kirkire, Sangram Desai
Watch on: SonyLiv

FORENSIC (Hindi, series)

A female police officer, in the small hill town of Mussoorie, and a forensic expert are together on the trail of a serial killer.

Cast: Radhika Apte, Vikrant Massey
Watch on: Zee5

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with internet connection.

FOREIGN

ONLY MURDERS IN THE BUILDING (English, series)

Three strangers who share an obsession with true crime suddenly find themselves caught up in one.

Cast: Steve Martin, Martin Short, Selena Gomez
Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

LITTLE WOMEN (English/Movie)

While the March sisters enter the threshold of womanhood, they go through many ups and downs in life and endeavour to make important decisions that can affect their future.

Cast: Saoirse Ronan, Florence Pugh, Emma Watson
Watch on: Netflix

LET THEM ALL TALK (English)

Alice Hughes, an author, sets off for England on a cruise with two friends and her nephew to receive a literary award. As the journey progresses, she is forced to face some hard truths from her past.

Cast: Meryl Streep, Dianne Wiest, Gemma Chan
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

THE GRAY MAN (English)

When the CIA's top asset — his identity known to no one — uncovers agency secrets, he triggers a global hunt by assassins set loose by his ex-colleague.

Cast: Ryan Gosling, Chris Evans, Regé-Jean Page **Watch on:** Netflix

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TIMELESS TALES

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#TATA STORIES

40 TIMELESS TALES TO INSPIRE YOU

HARISH BHAT

IN January 1944, five Indian industrialists, including **J.R.D. Tata** and G.D. Birla, and three Tata technocrats, published the Bombay Plan — the first-ever plan for the long-term economic development of post-Independence India. The plan had stung the British because it proved that Indians were capable of planning their own future.

Now, these industrial leaders were eagerly looking forward to Indian freedom, and to actively contributing to the economic development of the country post end of World War II. In fact, Indian industry had also contributed handsomely towards the Allied War efforts over the past several years. Now the Allies, including the British, were on the verge of defeating the Axis, led by Adolf Hitler.

Perhaps in recognition of this contribution, the British Government of India announced, in October 1944, an industrial mission to the US and UK. The mission was to take place sometime in 1945 and would comprise some of India's most famous industrialists, who would bear their respective expenses throughout the trip. The objective was to study how the industry had successfully organized itself as well as technical advancements in these two developed nations. The government announcement added: 'The knowledge and ideas which they [the Indian industrialists] will bring back with them will be of great value in the further industrialization of the country, after the war.'

Many authors of the Bombay Plan including J.R.D. Tata, G.D. Birla and Kasturbhai Lalbhai were invited on this mission to the West, as were several other famous Indian businessmen. Coordinating on behalf of the Government of India was H.M. Patel, ICS, the then secretary of industry and civil supplies (he would later become finance minister of India in the Janata government regime). Detailed arrangements with various overseas companies and factories were put in place over several months of planning, and the delegation was eventually all set to leave India in the second week of May 1945.

However, just a few days before they embarked on their flight, an unanticipated development occurred. Mahatma Gandhi issued a strong statement opposing the industrial mission. On 6 May 1945, he contacted the press from Mahabaleshwar, This statement was reported by the Bombay Chronicle the very next day under the sensational headline 'Gandhiji's Bombshell for Industrialists':

Ask them to wait till leaders are free. Freedom will come only after big business forego crumbs from Indo-British loot...All the big interests proclaim with one voice that India wants nothing less than her own elected National Government to shape her own destiny free of all control, British or other. This independence will not come for the asking... The so-called unofficial deputation which will go to England and America dare not proceed, whether for inspection of for entering into a shameful deal, so long as the moving spirits of the Congress Working Committee are being detained without any trial for the sole crime of sincerely striving for India's Independence without shedding a drop of blood, save their own.

Clearly, the Mahatma was totally and rightly preoccupied with thoughts of his colleagues fighting for freedom who had been unjustly imprisoned by the British. It is also not clear from historical evidence whether Gandhiji had with him all the facts about the delegation before issuing his statement, in particular the fact that this was only a learning mission and not meant for signing any business deals with the UK or US. On the other hand, for the industrialists, the future economic development of their country was an equal priority and this mission was a stepping stone towards that goal.

(Excerpted from #TATA STORIES 40 Timeless Tales To Inspire You by Harish Bhat, with permission from Penguin Random House)

Kargil Vijay Diwas is observed on July 26 every year, as a way to honour the sacrifice of the soldiers who laid down their lives in the line of duty during the Kargil War. 2022 marks the 23rd year of Kargil Vijay Diwas. There is no better way to commemorate the bravery of these soldiers than by listening to a specially-curated list of Audible titles that kindle the patriotism within us

Honouring Heroes

FULL SPECTRUM: India's Wars, 1972-2020

Writer: Arjun Subramaniam; **Narrator:** Surjan Singh

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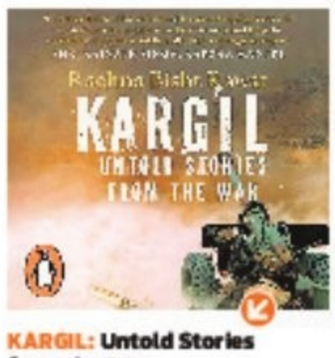

KARGIL: Untold Stories from the War

Writer: Rachna Bisht Rawat; Narrator: Mary Joseph

In this audiobook, author Rachna Bisht Rawat takes you through stories of extraordinary human courage of men in uniform and those who loved them the most. With its stories of grit and incomparable bravery, *Kargil: Untold Stories from the War* is a tribute to the 527 young braves who gave up their lives for us - and the many who were ready to do it..

KAHANI KARGIL KI

Narrator: Shahnawaz Pradhan

An adaptation from the book *Kargil: From Surprise to Victory* by General VP Malik, this one reminisces about the first-hand account of events of the Kargil war of 1999. It highlights the bravery of the Indian forces and the strategy behind their decisive victory in a war that had the world's attention.

KARGIL: From Surprise to Victory

Writer: General V P Malik; **Narrator:** Siddhanta Pinto

A definitive account of the 1999 Kargil War - the strategy, the effects, the heroism - from the man in charge, this audiobook takes you through one of the toughest wars our country has ever faced. This story is a reminder of the unparalleled heroism that has become a benchmark for bravery.

TIGER OF DRASS: Capt. Anuj Nayyar, 23, Kargil Hero

Writer: Meena Nayyar, Himmat Singh Shekhawat; **Narrator:** Suyash Mohan

This audiobook takes us through the first-hand account of Capt. Anuj Nayyar and the men of 17 Jat, who went on various reconnaissance missions in the boulder-strewn Drass sector where enemy troops had set up base. It encapsulates the relentless and gruesome battle of the battalions who fought for two nights in July before securing the peak that was critical to the success of Operation Vijay and India's victory in Kargil..

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I, Vivekananda Rajappa, S/o Rajappa residing at 0128 Basavaraj Handiganahalli Post, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-562106, Karnataka I have changed my name from VIVEKANANDA RAJAPPA 'OLD Name' to VIVEKANANDA REDDY (New Name) vide an affidavit dated 25.07.2022, before Notary Roopa G.Bhandigre, Advocate & Notary, Govt of India, Domlur road, P.O., Sanjaynagar, Bangalore-560026.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SYED RAZOOL, aged about 17 years, S/o Syed Dastagir, Resident, 5th Main Road, 5th Cross Near Jamia Masjid Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore-560032, Karnataka State, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from SYED RAZOOL SYED DASTAGIR to SYED RAZOOL, hereinafter I shall be known and called as SYED RAZOOL, vide affidavit dated 25-07-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary GANGARAJU .B.N at Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, NITHIN DIAS S/o. Alex Christopher Dias Residing at No. 45, 4th cross, Kondappa Nagar, HAL Post, Bangalore-560029. I am Changing My Name to ADRIAN DIAS and Shall hereafter be known as ADRIAN DIAS. Vide Affidavit dated 21.07.2022 before Notary Chandrakala Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I Rachana B.R., D/o. B.P. Ramesh, Aged about 2 years, Residing at No. 91/1, 6th Main Defence Colony, Sanjaya Nagar, Bangalore, - 560 092, Hereby declare that I have changed my name from Rachanna Benkipura Ramesh to Rachana Bangalore Ramesh vide affidavit dated 20.7.2022 sworn to before A.S. Viswanatha, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, DAVE NANISHKUMAR (Father of Son) S/o. DAVE SHEHTA (Mother), Resi No.216, 7th Cross, 43rd Cross, Jayanagar 9th Block, Bangalore-560069, have changed my name from DAVE NANISHKUMAR to DAVE NANISHKUMAR DINESH, No. from the Date, 2nd Kannal Twinkle Mahesh Dave Dave Twinkle Nanishkumar

'I INITIALLY HESITATED TO TELL SUDEEP ABOUT *VIKRANT RONA*'

... says director Anup Bhandari, who talks about his upcoming fantasy mystery thriller to be released in multiple languages this week

A SHARADHAA

A filmmaker learns lessons with every project, and director Anup Bhandari shares that he understood the importance of self-evolution right in his second film, *Rajaratha*. "I learnt what I shouldn't do from *Rajaratha*. There were a lot of things I did right, but what mattered the most was what I didn't do right. I felt the need to focus on the story and work on the screenplay to connect with the audience, and I worked along the lines for my next, *Vikrant Rona*. In general, even when I look back at *Rangitaranga*, I see a lot of faults in the film. It is also the same with films helmed by other directors. I usually find it difficult to enjoy the film because I always spot the loopholes. Having said that, *Vikrant Rona*, from script to screen has been a satisfying journey. I'm waiting to know the audience reaction," says Anup Bhandari ahead of the film's release on July 28.

Sharing that the responses have been overwhelming, Anup exudes confidence about the way the film has shaped up. "It will work even if the audience connects to 50 per cent to the film. I am not nervous at all, and it might also be because I am too tired to have any other feeling," says the filmmaker.

Vikrant Rona is Anup Bhandari's step into the big leagues, but how did such a blockbuster collaboration with Sudeep happen in the first place? "I initially hesitated to tell Sudeep sir about Vikrant Rona because I didn't feel that it was an out-and-out commercial film. But I had discussed it with Jack Manju, who later became the producer of the film. Manju liked the script and asked me to tell Priya (Sudeep's wife). She was so convinced with the story, and put in a word to Sudeep. Once he heard the story, he wanted to make this a big film," he says.

Sudeep and Anup Bhandari

Anup Bhandari categorises himself as a director who makes commercial films with a sensible subject feels that any film that makes money should be considered a mass film. "I don't agree that 5 fights and songs make for a commercial outing. I call it a formula subject," says Anup, who adds that in *Vikrant Rona*, the commercial aspects come organically. "I usually stay away from illogical scenes, and this film did not demand those kind of sequences at all. Luckily, Sudeep liked the film for what it was. Had he said that the story is good, but let us make it commercial, adding fights and mass dialogues, the subject would have died. But he never went into that zone. That way the essence of the film never got lost, but only became big. Sudeep's presence in the film gave me the license to implement what I had envisioned," he says.

The film was extensively shot on the set, and it was a new experience for Anup. "I usually like shooting amid nature, and even this film has a few portions shot in Kerala and Maharashtra. But when it came to working on the set, it needed a lot of planning, but I felt a lot more in control," says Anup, who credits his technicians for being supportive.

While Anup was clear that the film is fit to be shown in multiple languages, the content is suited to be made in 3D, says the director. "The output of 3D is realistic and mounted on a bigger scale. 3D has not been used as a gimmick in the film. It helps to take the audience into the world of *Vikrant Rona* and adds depth."

The film also starring Nirup Bhandari, and Neetha Ashok is a fantasy mystery thriller that also comprises a handful of child actors including Anup Bhandari's daughter (Nishka Bhandari). "There are a lot of kids, who come at different points in the film. The angle of kids narrating the story connects with the film. Subconsciously, this will also attract kids to the theatres. Rest everything else is organic," he says.

RAKSHIT SHETTY'S *777 CHARLIE* TO RELEASE ON VOOT

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THE Rakshit Shetty-starrer *777 Charlie* is all set to premiere on Voot Select on July 29. Written and directed by Kiranraj K and produced by Paramvah Studios, *777 Charlie* illustrates a beautiful and moving relationship between a pet called Charlie and the lead character Dharma, played by Rakshit, alongside a talented ensemble of cast like Sangeetha Sringeri, Raj B. Shetty and Danish Sait.

The recently released superhit film captures how Charlie brings purpose to Dharma's mundane life with humour, adventure, unconditional love, and a roller coaster of emotions. The plot revolves around Dharma, who is stuck in a rut and spends each day in the comfort of his loneliness. Charlie waltzes into his life to turn it upside down (quite literally) and from there follows life that is a riot of emotions, bonding and a special relationship that tugs the heartstrings of viewers.

Kiranraj K, said, "*777 Charlie* has been a very emotionally fulfilling project. Since there are not many movies around this story plot, my endeavour was to make a movie that will resonate with pet lovers across the country. Shooting with Charlie has been challenging as well as highly rewarding, we had to keep up with her training schedules, sweet quirks and understand film making from a different lens altogether. I am overwhelmed with all the love we have received from all over the country for the film and excited for its OTT premiere now."

Actor Rakshit Shetty said, "The film, and my character Dharma is undeniably one of the biggest highlights of my career. Every emotion portrayed while shooting for *777 Charlie* was natural and came straight from the heart. It will be an experience that I will cherish for years to come. I would urge the audience to watch it on Voot Select and keep spreading the love for our film."

Sangeetha Sringeri said, "Working with the entire star cast of *777 Charlie*, with such a unique storyline has been an incredible experience. I am extremely humbled with the response received so far. Suffice to say, *777 Charlie* has made the Kannada Film industry proud."

Sendhil's directorial debut about demonetisation to release this week

CE FEATURES

Sendhil K

SENDHIL K is set to make his directorial debut with *Rakkam*, which is slated to hit the screens this week. A stage artiste, who started with street plays, and a student of the National School of Drama, Sendhil worked as a writer for various reality shows.

Conceived by Sendhil, *Rakkam* revolves around demonetisation, and its impact on the common people, especially in the rural belt. Ranadheera Gowda makes his tinsel town entry as the lead actor with the film, which also features Amrutha Nair, Benaka Nanjappa, Ramamurthy, and Jithin. Produced by Snehalath KEN's Namma Haiklu Chitra banner, *Rakkam* has music by Srivatsa, and cinematography by Sam Selvin.

A still from the film

Sarah Paulson to star in *Dust*

CE FEATURES

SARAH Paulson, the American actor, is all set to star in the upcoming horror thriller film *Dust*.

According to Deadline, Will Joines and Karie Course are directing the film. "Sarah is an extraordinary artist and we are thrilled to be working with her again," said Searchlight Presidents David Greenbaum and Matthew Greenfield.

The film follows a woman, who is trapped by increasingly perilous dust storms and is haunted by her pasten-counters with a threatening presence and takes extraordinary measures to protect her family. For Searchlight, Paulson previously starred in Steve McQueen's *12 Years a Slave*, which received an Academy Award for Best Picture, and Sean Durkin's Martha Marcy May Marlene, reports Deadline.

'MY CHARACTER'S ANGST COMES FROM LOSING HIS MOTHER'

KARTIK BHARDWAJ

ARJUN Kapoor's black boots are almost touching the all-glass window of the interview room in the T-Series office. He is looking outside, at the grayness of the Mumbai monsoon. Disha Patani is sitting by his side. A freshly brewed cup of black coffee is steaming on the table before us. Raindrops glisten on the window. It's a perfect weather for a hooded serial killer to look for prey.

"I liked a girl in college," Arjun reminisces. "I asked a friend to find out if she likes me too. Few days later, the two of them started dating. But I was fine with it. I guess I sacrificed my love for my friendship."

Arjun Kapoor and Disha Patani talk about their upcoming film, *Ek Villain Returns*

This, however, is unlike Arjun's character in *Ek Villain Returns*, a spiritual sequel to the 2014 thriller Ek Villain. Arjun's Gautam Mehra doesn't seem like the sacrificing type as he trades blows with John Abraham's Bhairav in the film. "His angst comes from losing his mother at a young age. He is not used to having women in his life and doesn't know how to behave with or around them. Moreover, his father hates his behavior, but still, he seeks his attention."

The film's trailer shows a tormented Arjun tapping on Tara Sutaria's car window as she abandons him. This seems like a typical Mohit Suri character, whose roots go back to Kunal Khemu's Kunal in *Kalyug* (2005). Though Arjun has covered the first half of being a jilted lover in another Mohit directorial, *Half-Girlfriend* (2015), it's the second half of exalting revenge that awaits him in *Ek Villain Returns*. "I worked with Mohit in Half-Girlfriend and it was a romantic role. It was the brooding side of Mohit's in Murder 2 (2011) and Ek Villain that I always wanted to explore."

"What I really like about Mohit is how he writes his women," says Disha. "He always tells me that it's important for a love story to be told from a woman's perspective." In his career spanning ten years, Arjun has strived to not be stereotyped, even at the cost of commercial gains. He made a mark with his performance in Yash Raj Films' Ishaqzaade (2012) and played varied roles in subsequent releases like *Aurangzeb* (2013), *Finding Fanny* (2014), *Tevar* (2015) and *Namaste England* (2018), although they failed to mint money. However, Arjun is sort of a box-office whizand the exact daily collections of his releases are on his fingertips. He is the son of producer Boney Kapoor, and maybe it's in the genes. Arjun, however, doesn't only choose films on the basis of their money-making viability. "Box-office potential can only make fifty per cent of the decision. When I did a *Sandeep Aur Pinky Faraar*, I was not thinking about the commercial prospect. I just wanted certain respect as an actor and to explore my craft more. When I was approached with Finding Fanny, Naseeruddin Shah, Pankaj Kapur, Deepika Padukone, and Dimple Kapadia were already a part of the film. I did the film because I wanted to work with such stalwarts and didn't want to be pigeonholed as an action hero. It's also about the people who are making it. Sometimes a commercial film comes around and you don't resonate with the way they are imagining it."

Interestingly, Arjun's first film was not supposed to be *Ishaqzaade*. He auditioned for the role of Achyut Diwan, a hacker, in Y Films' (a subsidiary of Yash Raj) Virus Diwan. After the release of an announcement video, the film, however, didn't progress. "Virus Diwan's script didn't turn out to be as it was envisaged. At the same time, Adisir (Aditya Chopra) approached me with *Ishaqzaade*. You don't ask questions when you are being upgraded to business class. After which I got Aurangzeb and the rest is history."

Arjun believes *Aurangzeb* (2013) didn't get its due. "I did a thriller with a double role in my second film. Nobody hated the film but there was not enough love and it was lost somewhere in between. I think out of all my films *Aurangzeb* got the most lost at that point of time," he says. "If it was released now it would have worked as a great OTT series, maybe like *Paatal Lok*."